

## Appetites Pick Up As North York Boys Move Into Niagara

### Well-Known Toronto Men Join Queen's York Rangers For Two Weeks Training At Niagara-on-the-Lake

Niagara-on-the-Lake — While North Yorkers rested at their ease or enjoyed a holiday over the long weekend 95 North York men of the 2nd battalion, Queen's York Rangers, were finding their "sea-legs" under the boiling sun that seems to have an extra high boiling-point at Niagara camp.

Company formed up at the Aurora Armory early Sunday morning and sped by army service transport to Toronto, where they joined the county reserve unit for the annual trek to Niagara. On board ship with the Yorks were two other famous Canadian units, the Queen's Own and the Irish Regiment of Canada. After the march into camp the three units separated and went their own ways.

The Yorks made an impressive showing in the march into camp and were greeted by a detachment from the active battalion of the regiment. Lieut. J. S. Medhurst was in command of the party which greeted their brothers-in-arms and the newly formed regimental band of the 1st battalion played on the reserve battalion with the regiment's historic marching number, "Braganza."

On hand too were Lieut.-Col. W. H. S. Pote, O.C. of the county's active force, Sgt. Jock Choppin from Newmarket and Pte. Angus West, former editor of the Newmarket Express-Herald. More of the active force will get a kick out of visiting their old comrades as the days go by.

The area occupied this year by the regiment, due to wet weather and a hasty withdrawal by its former occupants, looked almost a hopeless task so far as bringing order out of chaos was concerned. Undismayed, the Yorks went to work with a will and by Monday noon the camp was clean as a hound's tooth and won the official seal of approval of the commanding officer, Lieut. Col. John Hyde Bennett.

Ham, cabbage and potatoes, with copious quantities of bread and butter and tea, disappeared like magic as all ranks ate a late noon-day meal. For supper the old reliable stew made its first appearance. Meals cooked by Chinese have been both good and plentiful. There are no frills but the menu is calculated to keep up both morale and health. Appetites are noticeably on the increase.

Monday afternoon C company worked under instructional cadre instructors on the Bren guns and then switched over to the rifles. On Tuesday morning, arising at 5.30, they proceeded to the rifle ranges and as usual made a fine showing with their

### NEWMARKET DOES WELL

A rink consisting of W. L. Bosworth, R. D. Brown, Dr. Brereton and J. O. Little was second for three wins at Richmond Hill bowling club yesterday.

At White's rink had two wins and Tom Doyle's rink had one win.

### MATTRESS TAKES FIRE

When a mattress caught fire in an upstairs room at an Ontario St. E. home a fire alarm was rung in early Monday afternoon. Two of the firemen happened to be on Main St. and the fire-truck was out of the hall in less than two minutes from the first alarm. The firemen threw the mattress out of the window. There was no other damage.

### NEED GIRLS OVER 16 TO HELP AT NIAGARA

The Ontario Farm Service Force is making an urgent call for 650 additional girls, 16 years of age and over, to help harvest the peach and tomato crop in the Niagara peninsula. E. R. Hall, placement officer, stated this week during a visit to Newmarket.

"The full period of need will be from Aug. 10 till the end of October, but girls will be accepted who can remain two weeks and transportation will be paid one way for all who can remain three weeks or longer and at any time during this period," Mr. Hall said.

"The girls will live in government supervised camps, in private camp supervised by the Red Cross and in private homes inspected and approved by placement officers of the Ontario Farm Service Force."

The pay is 25 cents an hour for a nine-hour day, and board is \$4.50 a week.

"This will be an opportunity to have a different kind of holiday, under excellent conditions, with pay and to help the war effort and save our food supply," Mr. Hall said.

He asked girls interested to get in touch with the York county agricultural office or the Ontario Farm Service Force at Queen's Park, Toronto.

### To Save Men Is Object, Declares New Minister

"My ministry I hope and trust and pray will be a ministry of reconciliation," Rev. Henry Cotton said on Sunday morning in his first service as pastor of Trinity United church. Members of the Congregational-Christian church are attending Trinity church for August.

"You will not hear my minister run down other churches or other denominations, for life is too short," he said. "The work of the church is to bring men to God."

"Every organization in the church has only one aim—not to raise money—but to bring men and women, boys and girls, to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ."

In a message in the church calendar Mr. Cotton said: "Today marks the beginning of the new pastorate in Trinity United church. Others have labored well and we enter into their labors. Ours is a goodly heritage. Your new minister comes to you with great hopes for the kingdom of God in this community. He knows out of a wide experience that good preaching is often the result of good listening. It is still true that the congregation largely makes the minister. Lift your minister up in prayer and in conversation so that the Master whose ambassador he is may be lifted up."

"Your minister comes to you to be the friend, counsellor and guide of old and young, rich and poor, church and unchurched. He will be among you 'as one that serveth.' He is not particularly gifted with second sight. He may not know when you or your neighbor is ill. You call the doctor—call the minister or ask some friend to let him know. He will gladly minister to you in your joys and in your sorrows."

"Dark days lie ahead for our country and our Christian civilization. We have great faith in God that He will see us through. But we know that every life needs an altar and faith for testing times. The church needs you and you need the church. Ask yourself this question: 'If every church member were just like me, what kind of a church would my church be?'"

"If every office bearer in every organization, every member, every adherent, will use the means of grace which God offers to us through Jesus Christ, His son, all will be blessed and God will cause His face to shine upon us and give us peace—His peace which passeth all understanding."

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### IT'S SEMI-FINAL STUFF

The Davis Leather and Office Specialty meet tonight Thursday, Aug. 6, in the second game of the hardball semi-final series at the Stuart Scott school grounds. This will be the second meeting of the two teams and if the tanners win it will be the last for the season. The game starts at 7 p.m.

The Davis team managed to eke out a 6-5 decision last Thursday after playing eight innings. The experts say this was the best game of the season. There is no doubt in the mind of anyone who saw the game, but that the crowd hollered (and booed) louder and longer than at any time this season.

### TRINITY PASTOR LOSES HIS MOTHER AT PARIS

Mrs. H. S. Cotton, widow of the late Arthur Cotton, Nottingham, England, and mother of Rev. Henry Cotton of Trinity United church, Newmarket, died on Saturday in Paris, Ontario, where she had resided for the past 30 years.

Services Monday afternoon in Paris were in charge of Rev. F. W. L. Brailey, of Gible Road United church, Toronto, brother of Mrs. Cotton, and Rev. A. Coles, Grace Anglican church, Brantford.

### He's In A Pretty Spot But Can't Tell Where

"Training has really become strenuous but we all seem to enjoy it, despite long hours and tough work," says Sgt. Fred Evans in expressing his appreciation to the Newmarket Veterans Association for cigarettes.

"Just a little different from the old system," he writes. "The English countryside really looks nice with all kinds of flowers in bloom, especially roses. Believe me in one of the prettiest places over here—sorry I can't let you know where."

"I'm still in good health and trust that everybody back there is the same way. Keep up the good work, Vets, it is more than appreciated by us."

"From all the news that we get here, all the folks back home are really putting forth an all-out war effort," Joe Gladman said in thanking the Veterans for canned goods, a ditty bag and cigarettes. "That is very encouraging and I only wish the services were allowed to do the same. Then we might get this rotten mess straightened out in a hurry and get back home. But I guess we'll just have to hang on and be patient."

"I haven't run into many lads from Newmarket up in this neck-of-the-woods as yet. One of the Gould boys is down here in the navy and at a dance one night I ran into Al Dowd of Bradford, who used to work with the Bell Telephone Co."

"This country is really grim after being used to Ontario, but maybe it won't be for too long. Let us hope so anyway. So cheerio for now and thanks ever so much to you and to all the people back there who work so hard to make life more pleasant for us down here."

A letter of appreciation was received from Cpl. A. V. Elphinstone and cards were received from Sgt. Gordon Thompson, Sgmn. A. Cox and Sgt. Fred Evans thanking the veterans for cigarettes.

### Thomas Taylor Dies Suddenly In 44th Year

The death occurred suddenly at his home on Monday of Thomas Taylor, following a heart attack. He was in his 44th year.

Born in Glasgow, Scotland, he was the son of Isabella Armour and Thomas Taylor and came to Canada with his parents. The family first resided in Toronto, where they lived for a number of years, later moving to Queensville, and five years ago moving to Newmarket.

Mr. Taylor was a member of the Masonic Order and attended the Presbyterian church. He was not married.

Surviving besides his parents are one sister, Annie of Toronto, and two brothers, Frank at home, and Hunt, who is a lance-corporal with the armed forces and is stationed at Sussex, N.B.

Pte. Thomas Taylor was a member of the 12th Battalion and served overseas during the Great War. A military service was held at his late residence this afternoon and was in the charge of the local veterans. Rev. Henry Cotton conducted the service. Interment was made in the soldiers' plot at Newmarket cemetery.

The pallbearers were Wm. Robinson, L. P. Cane, Harvey McCord, Wesley Brooks, Fred House and Wm. White.

## TOWN PROUD OF JOB DONE THRU 'LIONS'

### LIONS SEEK FUNDS FOR ANOTHER YEAR'S WORK FOR CHILDREN

### KEEP THREE ORPHANS

Fifty roaring Lions are to be turned loose in the Newmarket Lions park on Wednesday, Aug. 19, when the local club will stage the annual carnival to raise funds to carry on their most commendable work with the kiddies of Newmarket and vicinity.

This is the Lions' one big appeal of the year and in addition to their children's work they are also contributing to several war charities.

"The money" being sent to Britain by the Newmarket Lions is keeping three British cousins, orphaned and injured by German bombs," states President Frank Bowser.

"The many details regarding these various cases are most pathetic and we should do all we can to alleviate their suffering. Her Majesty the Queen through Lady Lever has been most appreciative of the funds entrusted to her for this work."

A young boy not far from Newmarket faced life with not too rosy an outlook till the Lions club fitted him out with a special shoe, and the other day he rode up Main St. on a bicycle.

Another young chap with a club foot was fixed up at the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, and you should have seen his smile when he came to the Lions club meeting one night.

During the past year several tonsil cases were taken care of, eyes tested and glasses supplied, one major operation arranged, the park maintained and improved for a playground, over 60 less fortunate families remembered with Christmas baskets, two months smokes sent to the boys overseas through the Veterans club.

All money taken in at the carnival goes for welfare work through the club's "activities account," ordinary club expenses being taken from the members' fees.

If you have not yet got your tickets for this year's carnival don't leave it too long. The earlier tickets are usually the lucky ones. The prizes feature an electric washing-machine, valuable dinner set, silver tea service, two balloon-tired bicycles (boy's and girl's), kitchen breakfast suite, reclining chair and stool, occasional table, ton of coal, floor lamp, electric iron and toaster.

### JOSHUA HILTS DIES IN HIS 78TH YEAR

The death occurred at his home in Gormley of Joshua Hilt on July 25, on July 25. He had been in ill health for the past nine months. Mr. Hilt was born in Markham township on February 10, 1865, and attended the Brethren in Christ church. He married Nancy Smith on November 22, 1904. Mr. Hilt farmed.

Surviving are two sons, Everett and Delbert, one daughter, Mrs. Harold Appleton, four brothers and three sisters. A brother and sister predeceased him.

The funeral service was held from his late residence on July 28. Rev. Alvin Winger and Rev. Cecil Cullen conducted the service. Interment was made in Heise Hill cemetery.

The pallbearers were Clarence Doner, Landon Steckley, Anthony Nigh, Harry Bennett, John Elliott and Roy Brilling.

### PICTURES WELCOMED

The Era and Express is glad to receive pictures of Newmarket, Aurora and district people for reproduction. There is no charge made for using pictures.

Photographers' pictures are preferable, but an exceptional snapshot can be used if the negative is supplied to have an enlargement made. Soldiers' pictures are particularly welcomed.

Persons sending in pictures are asked to send full particulars, with correct names and initials.

### IS AT HOME

Jack Peppiatt, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Peppiatt, is convalescing at home following an appendix operation at Fort Erie recently.

### PURCHASES HOUSE

Dr. L. W. Dales has purchased the house of Mrs. Eugene Cane, Prospect St., and will live there, maintaining his office at 160 Main St.

### ASKS WEEDS CUT

Warning to citizens to cut all weeds is issued by Chief Constable James Sloss as weed inspector for the town of Newmarket. In a few days ragweed, if not cut, will be giving hay fever a big inning.

### DATE NOT SETTLED YET

Premier M. F. Hepburn has indicated that high schools may not open until Oct. 9, to make help available to farmers. No word to that effect has been received by the Newmarket high school board, it is learned from Allan Mills, secretary.

### IN THE FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

Doings of those serving their country on land, on the sea, and in the air.

Contributions welcomed for this column—Phone 780.

Sgmn. Ernest Barber, Debent, N.S., has been spending four days leave with his mother, Mrs. Bert Barber.

Pte. Dorothy Barber, C.W.A.C., Toronto, is spending her two weeks furlough with her mother, Mrs. Bert Barber.

Stuart Brammer, nephew of Arthur Brammer, of Newmarket, has made his first flight with a bomber to Britain. He sent his friends picture cards from Scotland, but arrived home ahead of the cards by clipper plane. He has taken the place of his brother, Bruce, who, having flown three bombers across, was one of those killed when a clipper in which they started for home, cracked up at the take-off.

Pte. George Lee, of Huntsville, now stationed at Petawawa camp, who was at Newmarket military camp for five months recently, was in town last week, while on furlough, looking up old friends.

Sgt. R. M. Bullock, B. Sc. F., of Toronto has received his commission as a lieutenant in the Canadian forestry corps overseas. An honor graduate in forestry, from the University of Toronto, he is a nephew of Wells MacCallum of Holland Landing, who has three sons overseas. His mother was a successful and respected teacher at Poplar bank school.

AC2 John F. Greig of Montreal spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Greig.

Pte. Brendan Callaghan of Camp Chippewa, Niagara Falls, was home for the weekend.

AC2 James Cullen, who is stationed at St. Huberts, Que., spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cullen, Sr.

Jack Arlitt of the R.C.A.F., Rockcliffe, Ottawa, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Paul Arlitt.

Pte. Harold Evans, who is stationed at Kitchener, spent the weekend at his home. He was accompanied by Pte. J. Draper of Sault Ste. Marie.

LAC John Otton of the R.C.A.F., Toronto, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. S. W. Otton.

Pte. Andrew Cullen has arrived safely overseas.

Pte. Isha Goodman, who recently enlisted in the R.C.O.C. at Toronto, has been transferred to Newmarket camp for training.

LAC Jack Luck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Luck, is home on leave.

### HELP B.W.V.F.

Jack Prosser, Jack Insley, Ken Hunter, Melford McCaffrey and Ken Tunney decided to help the B.W.V.F., and erected a booth on Park Ave., during the middle of July. As a result, they forwarded \$6 to the fund.

### GENTLEMAN DONKEY DOESN'T LIKE WORK

(Stouffville Tribune)

We have been informed by several people that a donkey is pastured in a field up the ninth concession on the old Winterstein place, but Mr. George Baker, who is caretaker on the place for a Toronto owner, states that the donkey is really a jackass.

## Concert Sunday Will Climax Bandmasters' Two-Day Convention

### Town Will Welcome Visitors With Complimentary Dinner, Bandmasters Come From Near and Far

The 12th annual convention of the Canadian Bandmasters' Association is being held in Newmarket on Saturday and Sunday.

Many of the leading bandmasters of Canada will take part. The convention will open on Saturday at 10 a.m. with a directors' meeting, followed by luncheon at 12.30 given by the town.

Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales will welcome the bandmasters. The afternoon session will be held at 2 p.m. in the council chambers.

A Sunday morning session, beginning at 10 a.m., will be followed by a luncheon at the hotel given by the Newmarket Band Citizens' Committee, with J. O. Little presiding.

A band concert will be given at the military camp parade ground in front of the grandstand, by the massed Newmarket Citizens' band and the Aurora Boys' band, at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The grounds will be open to the public and a large number of civilians are expected.

This concert will be conducted by the visiting bandmasters.

After the concert the bandmasters will be entertained by Lt.-Col. R. B. Harkness, D.S.O., and officers of the camp. The concert program follows: hymn, "Eternal Father Strong to Save," arranged by R. Moore; march, "On the Mall," Goldman; overture, "The Wanderer," K. L. King;

March, "10th Regiment," A. B. Hall; overture, "Primo," Reg. Hinchey. (This number played for the first time. Conducted by the composer.);

Operatic selection, "H. M. S. Pinafore," Sir A. Sullivan; characteristic piece, "The Butterfly," Theo. Bendix;

March, "Col. Bogey," Alfred; fantasia, "The Veteran," C. F. Thiele;

March, "S.I.B.A.," A. B. Hall; collection from the opera, "Patience," Sir A. Sullivan; hymn tune, Aberystwith, arranged by R. Moore (this at the request of Col. Harkness); God Save the King.

The last three numbers will be conducted by Mr. Moore. If the weather is unfavorable, the concert will be given in the large concert hall by the kind permission of Col. Harkness.

## Farmers Appreciate Help Given By Town Residents

### EFFORT TO RELIEVE LABOR SHORTAGE WINS THANKS OF FARMERS

Farmers do appreciate the help which town people are able to give them. The following letter from Murray Munro, Sutton West, to W. M. Cockburn, York county agricultural representative, is typical of the farmer's attitude:

"Just a line or two this morning in appreciation for help which was sent to our district yesterday from your town. We appreciate very much the effort which was made by these gentlemen to help the farmers along with their work, and we feel that they are making a very special effort to help the farm labor shortage."

"May we again say thank you, and we can assure you that they are gladly acceptable at any time. If possible please convey this message to the boys."

### NATIVE OF NEWMARKET DIES IN BRANTFORD

The death occurred on July 22 in Brantford of Mrs. Wm. E. Foster, formerly of Newmarket.

Mrs. Foster was the former Frances E. Wilken, a native of Newmarket, and was well known in her work in St. Paul's Anglican church before her marriage and her removal to Barrie, where Mr. Foster was principal of the school.

They later moved to Brantford, where Mr. Foster was head of the Alexander school until his retirement a few years ago. Mrs. Foster was a soldier and also active in church work in Grace Anglican church, Brantford.

Besides her husband she leaves a daughter, Mary E., and a son, E. Edwin Foster. Interment took place in Brantford on Friday.

Mr. Foster is a brother of Mrs. Theodore Bolton of Newmarket.

### JACK FROST IS VISITOR

Frost early Wednesday morning was noted in the Newmarket district and on the Holland marsh.

### Alice Hall Is Airman's Bride

A quiet wedding ceremony was performed at the United church parsonage, Queensville, on July 28, when Alice Laurine, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Hall, Sharon, became the bride of Leading Aircraftman Roy A. Fairley, younger son of Mr. E. M. Fairley of Newmarket, and the late Mrs. Fairley.

The bride was attended by Miss Stella Fairley, sister of the groom. The best man was Mr. Norman Woon, brother-in-law of the bride.

There is no charge for printing pictures in The Era and Express.

### Y.P.U. WILL HOLD ANNUAL PICNIC AUG. 12

Trinity United church Young People's Union are holding their annual picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boag, Queensville, on Wednesday, Aug. 12. All members and young people of the church are invited to attend, and are asked to please meet at the church at 6.30 p.m. Transportation will be provided.

### WAS MAN OF STRICT PRINCIPLE, DIES 83

A man of undeviating principle, who remained ever faithful to a strict moral code, Richard John Thomas died at his home, Gorham St., Newmarket, on Monday morning. He was in his 84th year.

His wife and three children were with him, called home after he became seriously ill on Friday. He had not been in robust health for some years.

Rev. Henry Cotton conducted the service at Roadhouse and Rose funeral chapel on Wednesday afternoon. Pallbearers were nephews: Howard McCort Wilson and Carman Thomas, Frank Thomas, all of Bolton, Archie Brownlee, Toronto, and Arthur Kennedy, Unionville. Interment was in Bolton cemetery.

Born in Vaughan township, Mr. Thomas grew up there and started life as a farmer. As a result of an arm injury, he became a salesman.

Mr. Thomas married Emily Ann Burgess, also born in Vaughan, whom he had known since childhood, and four years ago they marked their golden wedding year. They went to school together near Bolton.

His parents were Mary Ann Woodhill and Wm. Thomas. His mother was born in "Muddy York" of English parentage and his father was born in England.

Mr. Thomas lived most of his working years at Echo Bay, near Sault Ste. Marie. Mr. Thomas was a great church worker and for three years, while at Echo Bay, he drove 11 miles every Sunday to conduct a Sunday-school class at a point where there was no church.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas moved to Newmarket 22 years ago. He was an elder of Trinity United church.

Surviving are Mrs. Thomas, two daughters, Mary Thomas, in charge of an operating-room at the Toronto Western hospital, Lillian Thomas, matron of the military hospital, Debent, N.S., and a son, Percy Thomas, Gravenhurst.

### TRAFFIC SIGN

Slow down before you become a statistic.

### Coming Events

Every Friday night—Dance at Cookstown pavilion. Same band, R.C.A.S.C. Rhythm Makers. 177

## Davis Leather Takes Last Inning Win From Specialty

### FIRST SEMI-FINAL HARDBALL GAME SEES SPECIALTY AT NEW STRENGTH

Displaying the best ball seen this season at the ball park, the Office Specialty and Davis Leather battled eight innings on Thursday night before the tanners won the game 6-5. This was the first game of the semi-final series.

Both teams were held scoreless in the first inning. Newfield scored for the Specialty in the second, only to have Herb Cain tie the score in the Davis half of the inning with a home run. Again in the third the Specialty went ahead when Hilton scored but again the tanners tied the score, with Gunn crossing the plate.

In the fourth the Davis team went ahead 4-2 when Gunn and Tansley scored. Both teams were held scoreless then until the seventh when the Specialty evened up the count.

In the seventh Hilton got a walk and Wildfield tapped out a single. Both runners crossed the plate on Banks' double. In the eighth the Specialty went ahead when Comrie, the pitcher who plays with the Specialty on loan from the Camp, got a single and Wesley, batting for Peppiatt, drove a double between Cain and Geo. Haskett in the tannery outfield.

The Davis team came back in their half of the eighth with two runs scored by Geo. Haskett and Cain on Oliver Gould's double. Oliver Gould on the mound for the tannery struck out eight men,

### ARE REAL PICKERS

Wally Bassett, Wesley Scott, Arthur Brice, his son, Donald, and Sidney Brice, all of Newmarket, picked 175 quarts of blueberries at Gravenhurst over the weekend.

### BIBLE SCHOOL BELL RINGS ON MONDAY

A daily vacation Bible school opens at the Church of the Nazarene on Monday and continues until Aug. 21. It is non-denominational.

Mrs. L. E. Sparks is in charge. She will be assisted by ladies from other churches. About 100 children are expected to attend.

and issued four walks, two of which were converted into runs. In one inning, the seventh, he retired the side on three strikeouts.

Harry Comrie, pitching for the Specialty, struck out four and issued eight walks besides hitting two batsmen. One of the walks completed the circuit.

Davis Leather: Gunn as, Geo. Haskett 2b, Peters lf, Cain cf, Gould p, W. Haskett rf, VanZant c, Tansley 3b, Boles lf, Wright 2b.

Office Specialty: Hilton as, Wildfield rf, Gould 3b, Banks c, Wilson lf, Newfield cf, Dixon lf, Comrie p, Peppiatt 2b, Craddock, Wesley lf.



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## LET REASON DECIDE IT

Sanity shudders to think of a "second front" in Europe dictated by newspaper campaigns and mass meetings. Prime Minister Churchill is no coward but his "ships are out of gear" and he has learned something of enemy strength and recklessness in the use of manpower. Mr. Churchill has a reputation for taking risks, and if he hesitates the British people should let him hesitate. Germany, facing early defeat as a result of her terrific losses on the eastern front and the devastating destruction of her cities by British-American air power, might be given a major victory in western Europe that could lengthen the war.

All the talk of and clamor for a second front is serving a purpose in keeping the enemy on tenterhooks but let us hope that it does not enter into a major United Nations military decision.

## AN EXPANDING ORGANIZATION

If A.R.P. (Civilian Defence Committee) organization does nothing else in this town, it will show that it is possible to arouse the interest of a group of 50 to 75 men in doing a community job. No one expects, or hopes for an air-raid on Newmarket, or would regard it as likely even in the event of Toronto being raided, but an air-raid is conceivable, and the organization and training help to arouse the community to a war consciousness that will contribute to other jobs such as war savings and war loans.

One of the officers suggested to us that it might be possible to continue the organization after the war to carry on town improvement work. The Civilian Defence Committee will no doubt interpret its field broadly to include any war-time jobs that it sees to be done. If it continues to thrive as it has been thriving in recent weeks, we would not be surprised to see the organization doing anything from selling war savings certificates to helping farmers with their harvest.

## UP THE FUTURE

Post-war Canada will be different. Years always bring change, and war years speed events. Among changes which this war is bringing to Canada are increased industrial capacity and knowledge, closer co-operation with the United States, a great federal organization to control producers and consumers, employers and employees, business and pleasure, a greatly increased scale of taxation and, not least, a substantially increased national debt.

Some of these changes seem burdensome, and people tolerate them of course only for the sake of prosecuting the war. If control of business and the individual and heavy taxation are to remain after the war, as seems not unlikely, there will have to be some substitute compensation for these burdens. This is likely to take the form of better working and living conditions. There is likely to be national provision for medical and hospital care, greater security of income than offered by unemployment insurance, more leisure and, through greater expenditures on schools and adult education, more training for both work and leisure.

It would seem that there is every reason to give everybody in a democracy every chance to enjoy health and education. In the sixties in Britain after the Conservative Disraeli had opened the flood-gates to allow the male masses to vote an English nobleman exclaimed: "We must educate our masters!" Eighty years later Canada has not yet attained that objective. All voters have not equal or even fair opportunities for acquiring education, and even less have they equal or fair opportunities for enjoying health.

If the average man has a family of four or more children, his children are handicapped in comparison with children from a one-child or two-child home. There is obviously less money to provide them with milk and fruit and cod liver oil and the fresh vegetables necessary to good health in this northern climate. There is less money to buy them clothing and school-books and bicycles. The result is that children of a large family get a poorer start in life. They drop out of school sooner. They rarely get to university.

The country as a whole suffers when these children suffer, and their abilities and talents wither and die. The country wants increased population but it does little to encourage it. We may expect, after the war, if not immediately after the war, more assistance to those who undertake to raise families. We may expect other forward steps to develop the latent abilities of every child and every adult, and to make life more worthwhile, but we should not expect decreased taxation or greatly decreased government control over our lives.

## MONEY MADE SIMPLE

The rainy day on which this article is written recalls a childhood rainy day game. There were four of us—brothers and sister—and a rainy day would bring us together inside the house. A favorite game was one we worked out ourselves. We called it variously the money game and the financial world. The two of us who were older would pre-empt the privilege of being the government and the bank respectively. The other two would be the public or public servants.

The game consisted of the government issuing paper money to its citizens, the same amount to each citizen, the citizens putting their money in the bank and the government taxing the citizens. The government kept the money circulating merrily, taxing the citizens and then paying the money out to them for their services in various capacities or in the form of a new start in life.

opposition from them is not expected although artificial insemination will certainly lower the prices of second-grade bulls.

Apart from Russia, Denmark, the Netherlands and Italy had all taken up artificial insemination before the war. The dairy breed societies in England have now recognized it and framed regulations for registering the animals so bred.

Breed societies in the United States have actually sponsored the artificial insemination societies; and, with the present experiments in England, the outlook for building up the world's livestock population is definitely hopeful.

(Artificial insemination is being used in south-western Nova Scotia, according to an article in the Farmer's Advocate.)

## 50 YEARS AGO

From Era and Express files,  
Aug. 5, 1892

Miss Barringer, of Hamilton is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Strigley, Newmarket.

The new grain will probably be all garnered this week and the sample is A1. An old resident of North Gwillimbury told us on Wednesday that there would be more fall wheat in that township this year than ever before in his recollection and the sample is first class.

Tom Kelly of the Novelty Works is going around with his head in a sling this week. Last Monday a block of wood flew "off the handle" and hit him on the head. The block proved to be the hardest but Mr. Kelly is getting around all right now.

Willmot Hill, of Cincinnati, Ohio, spent a couple of days here with old friends. It is 19 years since he left Newmarket.

Mr. Angus S. Williams, accompanied by his mother, left on Monday morning to visit his brother in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Manning spent Sunday in Barrie, the guests of Mr. W. B. Baikie.

## 25 YEARS AGO

From Era and Express files,  
Aug. 3, 1917

Misses Greta and Constance Staley and Miss Greta Smith of Second St. visited friends and relatives in Aurora on Wednesday.

Mrs. Howard Cane is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Mickle, Gravenhurst.

John Galbraith of Newmarket, formerly of Barrie, is visiting his son, William, at Calgary.

Mrs. D. Fossor and daughter, Mrs. L. C. Bogart, are spending a week in Muskoka.

It is stated that the eclipses of this year are the greatest in number that can, under any circumstances, take place during the time. Four have already occurred and three are to come, with 1917 on the last of its course of months.

Three bowling rinks from Allandale were down on Wednesday, playing in the northern league. One rink defeated Somerville but the rink of Manning and Brunton defeated the visitors two to one. Allandale also played at Aurora with the result a tie.

BORN—In Newmarket, on July 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Zeb. Harden, a daughter.

## THE BOOKSHELF

BY GOLDEN GLOW

Just the very thought of the bookshelf gives you a pleasant thrill of anticipation, unless indeed it means that you are contemplating the house-cleaning of that same bookshelf. In that case I bet it is just the reverse! Of course it all presupposes that you are fond of books and enjoy reading. But, honest-to-goodness, is there anyone on earth who can claim that they do not mind house-cleaning the bookcase? Unless you attend strictly to business it can be an endless job!

I let myself in for just such an experience the other day. I wanted some books for a sick friend, and then I decided I could spare a few more for either the navy, the camp—our camp here in town—or the soldiers' club. So I started in! And as I had taken a good many from the bookcase I decided I might as well give it the "once over," and dust them all off before I replaced what I was putting back.

I have always loved books, and the different characters in my favorites are like personal friends. Alas and alack! I espied one I hadn't seen for some time, and it was my down-fall—my Waterloo! I opened it and was lost to the world till the 'phone tinkling its urgent summons downstairs recalled me to everyday life. That was two days ago and I've not had the chance to replace those books since. But woe betide me if I do not attend strictly to business and dare to open another when I do get at it.

You'd never guess what I was reading—it is by no means a classic, but I always thought it delightful. It is quite an old-timer, but no doubt modern readers never even heard of either the book or the author. It is called "The King of Diamonds" and the author is Louis Tracy. A mother and her son lived in a poor part of London, England. Though poor, she has brought her son up to be a splendid young chap—but while he is still young, in his late teens, she dies. He is alone in their humble home with his dead mother that night when there is a peculiar blinding flash in the backyard, and going to investigate he finds a meteor half buried in the ground. To his amazement he finds it is composed of diamonds! He never tells a soul about his marvellous good fortune, and the story revolves round that, and his adventures in keeping it a secret!

The book was printed in the old days when they had paper covers, so in time the binding began to become loosened up. Finally it began to degenerate and fall apart. I lovingly tried to retrieve it, for that book used to be lent far and wide. Everybody enjoyed it. Then, at last, it became so decrepit that every house-cleaning time I had quite an argument with myself as to whether it should still be returned to the shelf. It reclined far back, tied up with a piece of thin cord, but back it went into the bookcase the other day, and I wouldn't mind betting it will be my downfall again some day when I house-clean the bookshelf!

Really, I do hope there are others like me, and who, if they read this, can smile a sympathetic smile, an understanding smile, and say, "That's me all over again!"

There's really no hope for our reform. We'll be sure to go and do it again. If not with one certain book, then with another old favorite!

## IS "WELL BABY" NURSE

Miss Pearl Davidson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davidson of Newmarket, has completed the training course at Mothercraft Center, Toronto, and is now on her first case as a "well baby" nurse in Toronto.

## CLUB WILL MEET

The Cherokee club will meet on Monday night for their regular sewing meeting in the Red Cross rooms.

were given of casualties or damage.

A phase of the Battle of the Atlantic is being waged in the Bay of Biscay, where a string of engagements is taking place between R.A.F. coastal command planes searching for U-boats and the latest German patrol planes, fast cannon-firing Arado seaplanes.

A United States squadron of navy fighter pilots was given credit this week for shooting down 54 Japanese planes and probably 18 others, assisting in winning the great sea-air battles of Coral Sea and Midway. Only four planes were lost.

## Glenville

Mr. and Mrs. L. Gourlay, Peggy and Jack, Schomberg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Woodrow of Toronto spent the holiday at Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Doan's.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Webster spent last Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Archibald.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hodgins of Toronto spent the weekend visiting friends and relatives in the vicinity.

Mrs. Stanley Somerville attended the funeral of her uncle, Mr. H. Ramsden, Perth, on Monday.

Pte. Angus West of Chippewa barracks, Niagara Falls, spent the weekend at his cottage here.

A number of hotel girls from the United States stayed overnight on Monday at the youth hostel here en route to North Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones attended the Giles-Powell wedding on Saturday at Wesley United church, Vandon.

Miss Elsie Sharpe of Toronto spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sharpe.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Burnett spent Sunday visiting at Agincourt.

Mr. Ed. Blackburn and Mr. George Blackburn of Toronto, Mrs. Barbara Hickey and Joan of Peterboro called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Webster on Monday.

Mr. Garnet Miller and Gordon and Mr. Wm. Gould and Errol spent Friday and Saturday in Gravenhurst, blueberry picking.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Poulton and Glenn of Newmarket spent Monday at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould's.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hamilton and family of Hamilton spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Norton.

Miss Frances Somerville of Newmarket spent the holiday with Miss Shirley Anning.

Mrs. C. Strawbridge and children of Stratford spent last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Richardson.

If you have something you want to sell or buy phone Newmarket 780 to use Era and Express Classifieds.

# Of People And Things

SUBSTITUTES

By Isabel Inglis Colville

I wonder how many of you recollect the story of the "Whipping Boy?" It seems to me I read it in an old school reader. At any rate, it told of the boys, who, in certain courts of long ago, were whipped in place of any of the king's children who might have been naughty. I do not see how this vicarious, this substitute punishment, could have effected much good, unless the real offender were very tender-hearted, and one gains no such impression from the histories of those days. It seems to me though, that substitutes—and not for punishment—are growing on us in these days.

Synthetic rubber, jewels, glass, silk, and a thousand other things, are doing fine work in substituting for the real commodity and even we housewives are beginning to use our ingenuity in the struggle to find alternatives for sugar.

All our lives, if our purses would let us, we could use all the sugar, tea, coffee, nuts, dates, sago, tapioca and bananas that we wished. We could dress up simple desserts and plain cakes with raisins, nuts or bananas, and have varieties of milk puddings—apart from cornstarch—with sago and tapioca. Now we are told they are out for the duration, and we look at our pantry shelves minus these standbys and consider ways and means.

Unfortunately, nothing can take the place of bananas, but for sugar, we are slowly and painfully learning the art of substituting.

We are very fond, in this house, of blancmanges and filled pies, and for these, where two cups of milk are used, I put one-quarter cup of corn syrup and a heaping tablespoon of sugar. The puddings are smooth as velvet, although as I always add last the beaten white of an egg, they get fluffed up.

Lemon pie is the one exception. I think lemons are allergic to corn syrup, so do not combine these.

With a baked custard, two and a half cups of milk and two eggs, I use two teaspoons of corn syrup and two teaspoons of sugar. Cakes are harder to manage and I'm just feeling my way with them, but fancy there will be considerably more difficulty in attaining success here.

The Germans became proficient in the art of substituting long ago. Foodstuffs, clothing, fuel, they found substitutes, of sorts, for all these, and so learned to do without long before we began the painful process of trying.

Dictators can compel people to economize; democracies never compel till compelled to, and then, we, who are of the democracies, can only go at our problems in a haphazard way. However, we learn by experience, painful sometimes, but usually effective.

The Germans have carried the art of substituting even to substituting hostages for the real perpetrators of acts against themselves. It is to put an end to substitutions such as these, that we are substituting, saving, learning to do without, and maybe it was a lesson in our too lavish lives that should have been learned before the necessity arose.

## TO THE EDITOR

(This overseas letter dated June 28, addressed to A. C. West, Express-Herald editor, is from Pte. C. E. Bennison.)

Dear Ang: Once more I want to thank you for sending me the local paper and I do appreciate it. I am getting along fine now. I am an instructor on motorcycles and like it very much. The work is very interesting.

The weather sure is grand here but the nights get very cold. We have had no rain for a little while, but I guess I must not say too much as when it starts to rain it will rain for days. We are still getting the odd air-raid. I guess they want us to know there is still a war on. I want to thank the Veterans and citizens of Newmarket for trying to make the Newmarket boys comfortable over here. Here's wishing you all success and may we all be home soon.

C. Bennison

There is no charge for printing pictures in The Era and Express.

## WHAT OTHERS THINK

### BARRIE'S FRONT DOOR

(Barrie Examiner)

Whether the people of the town realize it or not Barrie has one of the greatest natural advantages that any town in the dominion possesses, and it is pretty nearly true the people were getting the benefit of it. We refer to the fine stretches of latent bathing beach at the head of Kempenfeldt bay.

Prior to the construction of the sewage disposal plant two years ago, one of the greatest setbacks to the use of our natural advantages in this regard was, of course, the fact that the water was affected adversely by the flow of sewage into the bay. Now, that has all changed, and the water is as clear as crystal and whatever beaches exist are clean although not deep. The excellent purity of the water has been commented on favorably by more than one visitor to the town since the big change took place.

The strange thing about it all is that Barrie people and visitors are not able to take full advantage of this great natural resource of the town. The reasons are that the beaches, such as they are, are not very accessible, and that there are absolutely no facilities for bathing and swimming on the mile stretch between Barrie and Allandale wharves.

## ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION

(Dundalk Herald)

Canadians are hearing more and more nowadays about artificial insemination, a system which promises to revolutionize the raising of livestock. For breeding purposes, the sperm of a male animal is secured, kept sealed at body temperature and injected into the female. While the practice is not general, it promises to become so. The necessary equipment is expensive and few veterinarians have invested in it so far, as the system is yet in its experimental stage.

An item on the subject from Britain makes interesting reading, especially for farmers: Britain has begun the empire's first large-scale experiments in artificial insemination, the revolutionary breeding process which after the war will do everything to bring the world's flocks and herds back to normal.

Britain's experiments in artificial insemination, already successfully practised in Soviet Russia, are being conducted by the Cambridge School of Agriculture and the National Institute for Research in Dairying. They show that in one year a single bull or ram can fertilize 1,500 cows or ewes, bringing the best blood in the world to the humblest keeper of livestock from thousands of miles away. It is the small farmer, unable to purchase a good bull, who will benefit most.

There has been some doubt about the reaction to the new departure of pedigree breeders with a vested interest in the sale of bulls but serious



Canada has rationed tea and coffee, effective on Monday. The lettered coupons on the sugar ration cards are to be used. Canadians are to be limited to one ounce of tea per week compared with two ounces for Britons. Canadians may buy coffee instead of tea, whereas Britons may buy coffee in addition to their tea ration.

Prime Minister Winston Churchill is reported to be in Moscow discussing war strategy and a "second front" with Stalin.

Extra money for Canadian wage-earners, estimated unofficially at well over \$1,000,000 a week, will be paid by employers starting Aug. 15 as a result of a 2.4 percent increase in the cost of living since last October.

Chinese assault troops surrounded the Japanese-held stronghold of Linchuan (Fuchow) and stormed to its walls this week after the invaders' defenses were pounded hard by United States bombers.

German troops have made another 50-mile advance in the Caucasus to threaten Tikhoretsk, an important junction on the Soviet railway system, and have gained in the Don River elbow northwest of Stalingrad, the Russians say they have inflicted huge losses upon the Germans and that they have slowed their advance.

Allied planes have wiped out the Japanese-occupied New Guinea settlement of Kokoda, and Australian jungle fighters and native troops have routed a large Japanese patrol.

Gandhi has advocated negotiations with Japan as the first step to be taken by an independent India, according to a charge this week of the government of India in releasing a collection of confiscated documents on Gandhi's manoeuvres for a disobedience campaign against British rule.

Several areas of Britain were attacked this week by small formations of enemy planes, which were greeted by heavy anti-aircraft fire. No reports

# MORE WOOL IS NEEDED for Canada's War Effort

CO-OPERATE IN ONTARIO'S EFFORT TO PRODUCE MORE WOOL. HELP INCREASE THE SIZE AND NUMBER OF ONTARIO SHEEP FLOCKS

PRODUCING more wool to clothe Canada's fighting forces and her civil population is a vital task which deserves the earnest consideration of every Ontario farmer. A brief study of the wool production of North America and of world conditions occasioned by the war reveals an alarming situation that calls for straight thinking and forthright speaking.

North American Wool Production 1941		North American Wool Consumption 1941	
Canada	19,200,000 lbs.	Canada	109,000,000 lbs.
United States	455,000,000 lbs.	United States	977,000,000 lbs.
Total	474,200,000 lbs.	Total	1,086,000,000 lbs.
DEFICIT		611,800,000 lbs.	

You can see that with shipping space at a premium and with every merchantman a target for enemy submarines, the situation is indeed critical. More wool must be produced at home and it's up to Ontario farmers to help produce it.

The Ontario Department of Agriculture is working to effect an increase of 25% in this province. To do this, all present flocks must be kept, and in addition, 110,000 ewe lambs from the 1942 crop must be kept on the farm. If every present flock owner kept three ewes from this crop, most of the increase would be obtained. But since many sheep owners cannot accommodate any more animals, the Department is asking Ontario farmers to establish 1,000 new flocks which will absorb all surplus ewe lambs. Your Agricultural Representative will be able to put you in touch with men who have lambs for sale or men who wish to purchase them.

In establishing 1,000 new flocks, it is intended that expansion take place by counties in proportion to the present sheep population. You will see what expansion must be accomplished in your county in the lists below.

CATEGORY "A"	Renfrew	Waterloo	Lennox & Addington
1 More Flocks per Township Required	Simcoe	Wentworth	Lincoln
	Victoria		Niagara
	Wellington		North York
	York		Northumberland
			Oxford
			Perry Sound
			Prescott
			Prince Edward
			Russell
			Shorncliffe
			Sussex
			Temiskaming
			Thames Bay
			Welland

## THE RAM POLICY

Any farmer starting a new flock of 15 ewe lambs or more may secure a ram for two years on loan from the Dominion Government.

## CONSULT YOUR AGRICULTURAL REPRESENTATIVE

For complete information about securing ewes, ewe lambs, or rams, or about any part you can play in helping Canada produce more wool, consult your county Agricultural Representative or W. P. Watson, Live Stock Branch, Dept. of Agriculture, Toronto.

HON. P. M. DEWAN  
MINISTER



W. R. REEK  
DEPUTY MINISTER

ONTARIO DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE



## THREE FITS

There are three kinds of men in the world, fits, misfits, and counterfits.

Fits are those men who fit naturally in the scheme of things.

Misfits are those who, owing to their own inaptitude, are square pegs in round holes.

Counterfits are those who are mentally cut on the bias, and

who imagine that they can fool an entire world simply because they can fool themselves.

"When I get into one of those war arguments, I let the other guy do all the talking," chuckles Virgil F. Whiffletree. "He never finds out how dumb I am and sooner or later he exposes his own ignorance."

## MANAGER WANTED

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Civil Service application forms, obtainable at the local post office, should be filed with Civil Service Commission representative, c/o The Postmaster, Newmarket, Ont., NOT LATER THAN AUGUST 11, 1942.



Adjourned! What a magic

word to the tired ears of 245 parliamentarians. The House of Commons has "closed up shop" after deliberating for 123 days. Almost six and a half months were consumed in the process. Members filled 5,000 pages of closely-printed Hansard in uttering 4,480,000 words. If speeches could have licked Hitler and the Japs what a massacre it would have been! The right of the people's representatives to air their views, however, is a cornerstone of democracy.

A bargain-counter rush had nothing on some of the scenes in the House in the dying days of the session. Estimates totalling millions upon millions of dollars, relating to many departments of civil government, tumbled over each other in a somewhat undignified rush towards adjournment. George Tustin, self-made member from the historic riding of Prince Edward-Lennox, and perhaps the most level-headed Conservative in the House, quietly pointed out that in the previous 35 minutes \$36,000,000 worth of estimates had gone through. There is nothing new

in this situation, however. Each session sees a similar spectacle at its close. The "holding up" of the government's estimates does not necessarily mean a definite contribution to the work of parliament.

The committee on radio broadcasting finally brought in its report to parliament after sitting for two months. It had some drastic recommendations directed towards improving the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation. The evidence showed some serious conditions. It was hard to find out who the real "boss" was. Actually the "boss" in law is an executive committee which had never been set up. The "boss" in fact is Dr. Augustin Frigon, the assistant general manager. The "boss" in name is Major W. E. Gladstone Murray, who holds the title of general manager. There is room for some really constructive work to be done in rendering more effective this very important institution.

When the estimates for the department of fisheries were before the Commons, a number of members whose ridings were far

removed from the fishing industry rose to take part in the discussion. They didn't contribute much to it but they enabled the irrepressible Tommy Church to remark, "Never did so many know so little about so much."

Rural mail eased into the spotlight for a half-hour or so while the postmaster-general was piloting his estimates through committee. The couriers seem to be the victims of a sort of "pincer" movement just now. They never have been overpaid. The tender system took care of that. Today with the increased cost of living plus increased operating costs they are having a "tough time." True, they got a five percent bonus last fall, but the cost of living alone has gone up 15 percent since war was declared, and the average rural mail courier is feeling the pinch pretty severely. Several of us took up the fight on their behalf, but Gordon Ross, M.P. for Moose Jaw, said he thought all rural mail routes ought to be cut out. It is significant that he lives in a city.

When I prophesied a few weeks ago in this column that we had not heard the last of Hong Kong, I was much more accurate in my predictions than usual. What a debate it turned out to be! Neither Mr. King nor Mr. Hanson actually delivered a speech during the course of the discussion, but both of them "mixed it up" frequently. The most tense moments came when the prime minister, taunted by tall, curly-haired John Deffenbaker, rose in angry protest and, after failing to get a good hearing, called the Opposition a "mob." The Opposition didn't seem to relish the title, so Mr. King withdrew the term. Dr. Bruce, who has a faculty for getting the House into "hot water," also stirred up plenty of trouble by using adjectives to describe Sir Lyman Duff's report which didn't meet with Speaker Glen's approval. Some changes in the national defence department have already been made since the Hong Kong surrender.

It was a surprise to many of us that Canada has two national anthems. The prime minister, however, in answer to a question in the House the other day, stated that "God Save the King" and "O Canada" are to be given like recognition in this field.

"Billy" Fraser and Captain George White represent Northumberland and Hastings. Geography "throws them fairly close together. Politics throws them a long way apart. Both of them have scorching tongues when aroused. While George was castigating the administration the other day, he said, "I have no intention of being interrupted by any of these rowdies across the road." Billy came back with this: "You couldn't get politics out of your system with a blow torch."

It will be a matter of months before I shall have the privilege of talking to you through these columns again. I am under no misapprehension as to my obvious limitations as a columnist. If my readers have been helped in even a small way to gain a somewhat more comprehensive picture of the doings on Parliament Hill through my conversational paragraphs week by week, I shall feel amply repaid for the effort. Let us, during the interim between this session and next, hope that victory and peace shall come appreciably closer to our nation, our empire, and to the gallant nations which fight with us, and let us especially remember during these days in our thoughts and prayers those brave men of our armed forces who stand between us and our powerful antagonists. To them we say, "Good luck, good health, and safe return!"

## SHARON

Mr. Frank Lloyd and Miss Phyllis Lloyd are spending a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Forrester at Strathmore. Mrs. Wm. Mackie and Miss Doris Mackie of Toronto and Mr. Ross Fountain of Pickering spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Fountain.

There will be no church service in the United church during the month of August and no Sunday-school for the next two Sundays.

The Misses Phyllis and Gwen Kiteley and Miss Helen Coffey of Toronto spent the weekend with Mrs. M. E. Kiteley.

Mr. Ted Fife spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Fife.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Collins spent the long weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Evans at Oakville.

The Misses Jean Houston and Margaret Pegg of Toronto spent the weekend at their homes here.

Miss Joann Nesbitt of Newmarket visited Miss Emma Ramsay over the weekend.

Next Tuesday is Red Cross packing day at the township hall. Will the ladies please come early? There will be lots of work to do every Tuesday.

Mrs. Norman McLeod of Bradford spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Fred McLeod.

## IS IN TORONTO HOSPITAL

Mrs. N. F. Bennett is ill in a Toronto hospital.



The Strand theatre presents the story of what paved the way for the attack on Pearl Harbor. The whole behind-the-scenes story of Japanese espionage is to be found in "Secret Agent of Japan."

Featuring Preston Foster and Lynn Bari, the film unfolds at a suspenseful clip to rip the lid off the events which led up to the treacherous blow at American freedom. The action takes place in Shanghai, headquarters of the Far East spy ring. Here Preston and Lynn find themselves seeking the fateful messages which will tip off the plans for the attack on Pearl Harbor.

Their struggles against the powerful enemy ring are thrillingly unfolded to keep you on the edges of your seats. The stars turn in given and performance, aided by a series of top-notch supporting players from Noel Madison, Sen. Yung, Janis Carter and Kurt Katch. Every man, woman and child who has been stirred by the heroic struggle in the Far East against the enemies of democracy will get a tremendous kick out of the film. That romance, like gold, is where it overtakes you is to be expected of Samuel Goldwyn's new comedy, "Ball of Fire," which brings Gary Cooper and Barbara Stanwyck together again in what is rated tops in adventure.

In this case the romance blooms amid stuffy rooms and massive books of learning of an old brownstone front in New York, where a serious group of elite professors are compiling a new encyclopedia. Even when the elderly, elderly leader, Professor Potts, is younger, but none of them dreams that Cupid is on his way to their shabby mansion for a little machine-gun practice.

He arrives via Sugarpudding O'Shea, a frivolous little night-club singer sought by the police for questioning about her gangster friend. Sugarpudding has been invited by Potts as source material for an article he is writing for the encyclopedia on "slang." To his surprise she moves right in, immediately captivates the creaky hearts of the elderly seven, eventually wins that of Potts himself.

But the gangster complicates things by deciding he wants to marry Sugarpudding, this leads to the hilarious climax of the production. "It's the best play I have seen in ten years!" So wrote George M. Cohan after he had seen "Remember the Day" on Broadway.

When it was announced that the film company was going to film the play, speculation was rampant about who would play the central figure.

Claudette Colbert settled all discussion when she picked "Remember the Day" from several offers as the one picture she wanted to do. Turning from recent top-flight comedy roles, this versatile actress climaxed her career with her unforgettable portrayal in this memorable love story.

Case for the important role opposite Miss Colbert was handed some John Payne, who has been gathering laurels for himself in such outstanding pictures as "Sun Valley Serenade" and "Weekend in Havana."

In "All Through the Night," Warner Bros.' mystery-comedy starring Humphrey Bogart, re-tired gangsters and their molls live to win the law's thanks and a close-up with their heart-throbs at the fadeout.

Stepping into hero roles is a new experience for Bogart and Barton MacLane. As ex-gangsters, who have gone into the gambling and night club rackets, they clean out a nest of fifth columnists despite the law's efforts to pin a murder rap on Bogart and thus allow time for the secret agents to do their dastardly deeds.

Conrad Veidt, Peter Lorre and Judith Anderson are the convincing fifth columnists. Karen Verne starts out in their camp but ends in the arms of Bogart.

## HOPE

Mrs. Ganton, Newmarket, is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Lorne Ganton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Boyd spent last weekend with relatives in Orillia.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Stickwood were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pegg.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Broderick, Mrs. M. Hall and Master Donald Williams spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Taylor, Downsview, Mrs. M. Hall remaining for a few days.

Mrs. Auley Brenair and Miss Lottie Tansley were supper guests of Mrs. Geo. Broderick on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Toronto, spent the weekend with the Breen family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Breen and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith visited relatives in Stouffville on Sunday.

Mr. Auley Brenair and Bill spent Sunday with the Leitchs at Zephyr.

Miss Ruth Brenair, Toronto, spent Sunday at her home.

Mrs. W. MacKay, Toronto, spent Saturday with Mrs. E. Pegg.

Sgmn. Raymond Pegg, Ottawa, visited Jack Pegg's and Edgar Pegg's on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Pegg and Jack called on Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cryderman, Baldwin, and Mr. and Mrs. S. Cain, Sutton, on Sunday afternoon.

Hope United church will be closed for the remainder of August, owing to the pastor, Rev. Hugh Shannon, being on holidays.

## MOVE TO NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Jones have moved from Tecumseh St. to the corner of Millard Ave. and Reglan St.

Quality Counts Most

## "SALADA" TEA

## PINE ORCHARD

Miss Aleta Widdifield has returned after a holiday at Kashe Lake with Mr. and Mrs. Colin Widdifield.

Cpl. and Mrs. Ross Armitage were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Adair at Aurora last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Widdifield and family of Newmarket were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Allen.

Mr. Jos. Woodcock and Howard of Newmarket spent civic holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lundy.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Brown of Downsview were visitors at the home of Cpl. and Mrs. Ross Armitage on Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Grindell and family of Toronto spent the

holiday weekend at their summer home.

Widder Paul and Miss Joan Widdifield are spending a holiday with Mrs. Russell Allen and Miss Aleta Widdifield. Threshing commenced on Monday in this community.

## Men, Women Over 40 Feel Weak, Worn, Old?

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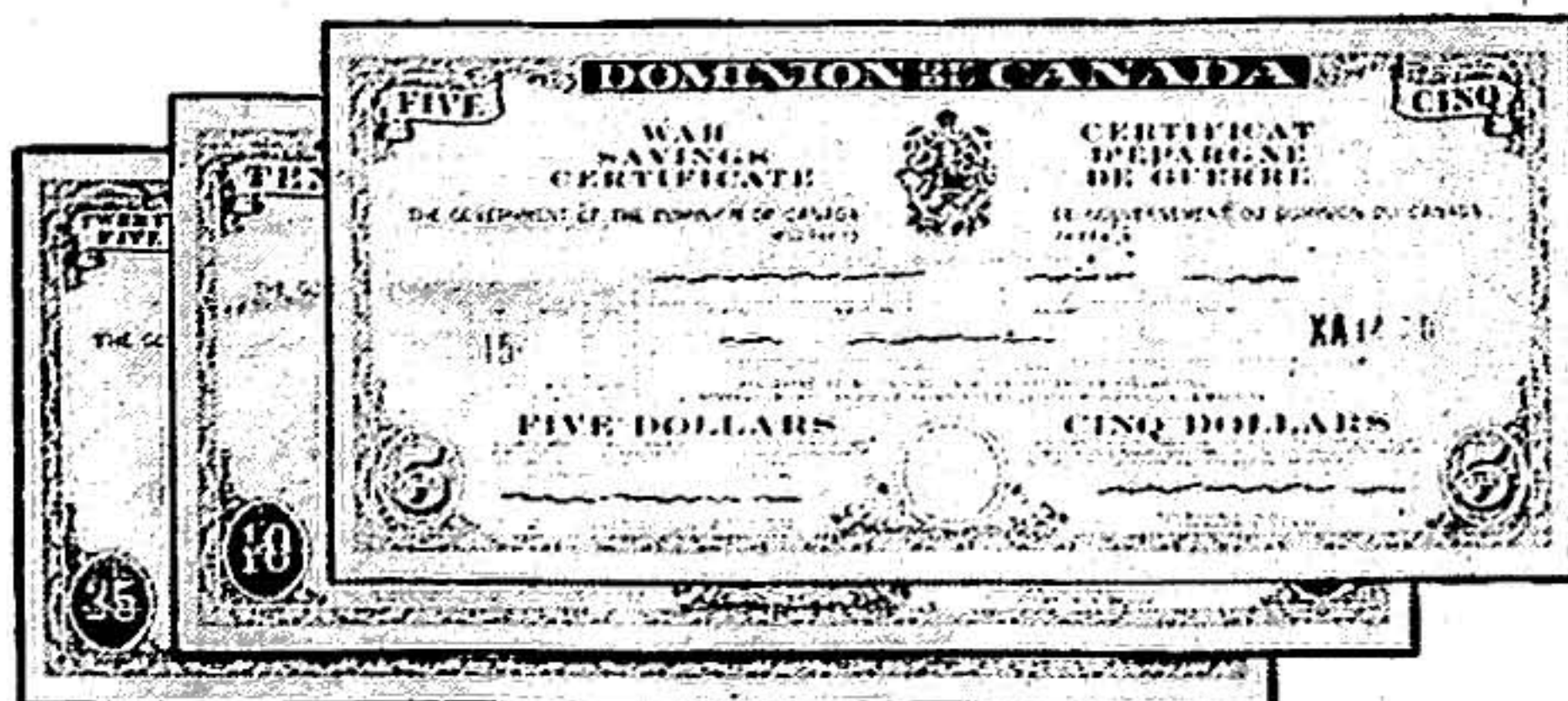
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## Here's Another Contest That Will Make Movie Goes Put On Their Very Best Thinking Caps

Although 26 contestants sent in answers to last week's contest, the puzzle was just a little difficult and there were none correct. Six contestants sent in answers with only one wrong and from these five were drawn by Margaret Mathewson at Campbell's Book Store, making Mrs. A. Barselaar, Newmarket, Mrs. Mildred Broderick, Sharon, Mrs. D. H. Fines, 14 Prospect St., Newmarket, Chas. West, Newmarket, and Mrs. Arthur Evans, Newmarket, the winners of the double passes.

The winners may pick up their passes any evening at the theatre and have the choice of seeing Joan Bennett and Franchot Tone in "Wife Takes a Flyer," and Jane Darwell and Brenda Joyce in "Private Nurse," on Tuesday, Aug. 11, or Claudette Colbert and John Payne in "Remember the Day," and Humphrey Bogart and Kaaren Verne in "All Thru the Night," on Thursday, Aug. 13.

The correct answers to last week's contest were: blacksmith, heater, upstairs, leaking, turquoise, water tank, cockerels, furnace, corporation, and armchair. The most difficult one apparently was "turquoise." Only two persons sent in that answer.

**THIS WEEK'S CONTEST**  
Five double passes will again be given for answers to this week's contest. John Payne, Maureen O'Hara, Randolph Scott are the feature players in "To the Shores of Tripoli," and Chester Morris and Harriet Hilliard star in "Confessions of

Boston Blackie," which will be shown at the Strand on Tuesday, Aug. 18, and winners may see these pictures or Ida Lupino and Louis Hayward in "Ladies in Retirement," and "Syncope," which features the all-American dance band, Charlie Barnet, Benny Goodman, Harry James, Gene Krupa, Alvino Ray, and Joe Venuti, on Thursday, Aug. 20.

This week's contest is along the same lines as last week's. The ten words will be found in the classified columns. Send in your answers even if they do not all satisfy you.

1. Reference is sometimes made to a ten ----- hat. 2. This term came in with motoring and yet there is age to it, is used in two senses, to indicate speed and to indicate distance. 3. Shines and sparkles from faces and facets. Often marks an important personal contract. Do you get it? Then you're ----- 4. ----- Tommy is the name of a book by J. M. Barrie. 5. You live in them. The name ----- suggests privacy, something apart. 6. "What dost thou mean thou saucy fellow, thou canst mend me?" You don't see ----- stones on Newmarket streets. 7. ----- ye my people. 8. This is really an automotive term, but it is used by movie people. People have lived in a ----- 9. A word of many meanings. Used in hockey, locksmithing, salad-making, and in the popular phrase, "a ----- of circumstances." 10. A kind of hay and a biblical person.

## SALE REGISTER

Saturday, Aug. 23—Auction sale of household furniture, etc., the property of Mrs. Thomas Brown, of the village of Sharon, near store. Everything will be sold without reserve as owner is moving from the district. Terms of sale cash. Sale at 1:30 p.m. J. F. Kavanagh, auctioneer, Queensville, phone 105. c3w27

Tuesday, Sept. 1—Auction sale of high class stock, Holstein cows, horses, hogs, sheep. Feed. Tractor outfit. The property of Harvey M. King, lot 16, con. 4, North Gwillimbury, 2 miles east of Keswick on highway. Terms of sale cash. Sale at 11 o'clock in the morning. Everything will be sold without reserve as owner is giving up farming and the farm has been rented. \*4w27

## WANTED TO BUY

Wanted to buy—Live poultry. Old hens, cockerels, ducks. Best prices paid. Phone Newmarket 637. \*26w26

## USED CARS FOR SALE

For sale—37 Willys sedan. Over 30 miles to the gallon. Low mileage. Heater and good tires. Reason for selling. Phone 749 or enquire Era and Express box 589. c1w27

For sale—Car and trailer, and 25 acres on the Holland Marsh all for \$500 cash. Enquire Imperial Service Station, corner Main and Huron Sts., Newmarket. c1w27

## MISCELLANEOUS

Notice—We do not cobble your shoes. .... but we guarantee a correction in all our repairs. Victor's Shoe Shop, 41 Main St., Newmarket. \*26w27

There is no charge for printing pictures in The Era and Express.

## FARM ITEMS

For sale—Massey-Harris binder, in good condition. Or will trade on cow. Apply C. Ireland, 1/2 mile north St. Andrew's College. \*1w27

Wanted to buy—Live poultry of all kinds. Hens, also young roosters, three pounds and over. Top prices paid. Write I. Balsky, 689 Shaw St., Toronto, or phone Lombard 5415. \*4w25

Wanted—Dead horses and cattle, for free pick-up. Phone Newmarket 79. We pay phone charges. Gordon Young Ltd., Toronto. Phone AD. 3636. c5w31

## STRAYED

Strayed—From James Breen's. Tuesday, July 23, a yellow female pup, six months old, white ring around neck, white strip in face. Answers to name of "Nipper." Anyone knowing whereabouts notify James Breen, Sharon. c1w27

## LOST

Lost—Brilliant brooch. Between Lundy's Lane and Trinity United church. Sentimental value. Finder please return to Mrs. P. J. Tod, Lundy's Lane, or phone 281.

## CLERK'S NOTICE

OF FIRST POSTING OF VOTERS' LIST  
Voters' Lists, 1941, Municipality of the Village of Sutton, County of York.

Notice is hereby given that I have compiled with section 8 of The Voters' Lists Act and that I have posted up at my office at Sutton, on the 30th day of July, 1942, the list of all persons entitled to vote in the said Municipality at municipal elections and that such list remains there for inspection. And I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law, the last day for appeal being the 20th day of August, A.D. 1942.

DATED at Sutton this 30th day of July, A.D. 1942.

M. O. Tremayne,  
Clerk of the Village of Sutton.

**ERA AND EXPRESS IS OPEN LONGER ON SATURDAY**  
The Era and Express office is open daily from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. except on Saturday, when it is open from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. and from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m.

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# CHURCHES

**TRINITY UNITED CHURCH**  
Minister: REV. HENRY COTTON  
11 a.m.—"THE HUNGER FOR GOD"  
7 p.m.—"WE SHALL MEET AGAIN"  
We welcome the Congregational-Christian church to our UNION SERVICES during August.

**NEWMARKET GOSPEL TABERNACLE**  
12 Millard Ave.  
Just west of Main St.  
Pastor—REV. L. R. COUPLAND  
Sunday, Aug. 9  
10 a.m.—Sunday-school.  
11 a.m.—"THE WILL OF GOD FOR HIS CHURCH TODAY"  
7 p.m.—"THE TRUE VALUE OF ONE SOUL"  
Good singing—helpful messages for all.  
Everybody welcome.

**Church of the NAZARENE**  
REV. L. E. SPARKS—Minister  
Friday, Aug. 7, 8 p.m.  
**AMBASSADOR MALE QUARTET**  
of the  
**EASTERN NAZARENE COLLEGE**  
Wollaston, Mass.  
will present one hour of sacred music  
PROF. E. MANN—Speaker  
Sunday, Aug. 9  
10 a.m.—Sunday-school  
11 a.m.—Worship, "HOLINESS THE BLOODSTREAM WAY"  
7:15 p.m.—Evangelistic, "THE HUNGRY FEED"  
8:30 p.m.—Young People's meeting  
Evangelist Rev. M. E. Sparks will preach at the evening service.  
**DAILY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** opens MONDAY, AUG. 10, at 8:45 a.m.  
Come to Newmarket's Singing Church

**THE SALVATION ARMY**  
CAPT. & MRS. F. BRIGHTWELL  
Sunday, Aug. 9  
11 a.m.—Holiness Meeting  
3 p.m.—Sunday-school  
7 p.m.—A message for shut-ins  
Please notice that anyone who is a shut-in and would like to attend any of the services on this special day may phone 697W and we will see that you have free transportation.  
**COME AND WORSHIP WITH US**  
**GOD BLESS YOU**

**QUEENSVILLE REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Pastor W. H. Britton preached the first in a series of monthly sermons on "THE GOSPEL IN THE OLD TESTAMENT" to a splendid congregation, in the Queensville Baptist church on Sunday. Special vocal music was provided by the Rogers Sisters. The Lord's supper was conducted at the close of the service.  
Next Sunday evening at 7:30 p.m. the service will be conducted by the CHRISTIAN GIRLS ASSOCIATION of Queensville. Special music and message will be features of this service. The open air service will be held on the church lawn following the service. ALL WELCOME.

**DEATHS**  
Connell—At Newmarket, on Tuesday, Aug. 4, Minnie Warriner, wife of the late Ralph Connell. The funeral service was held from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Fergus Taylor, 55 Eagle St., this afternoon. Interment Queensville cemetery.

Hanlon—At the Ontario Hospital, Whitby, on Monday, Aug. 3, Sarah Jane Cryderman, in her 89th year, wife of the late Thomas Patrick Hanlon, sister of Mrs. A. Trivett, Newmarket, and George Cryderman, Baldwin.  
The funeral service was held from the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose on Tuesday afternoon. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Legge—At his home, 2406 West 7th Ave., Vancouver, on July 4, John Curry Legge, aged 59, formerly of Jefferys, Ont. Surviving are his wife, five sons and two daughters, and seven grandchildren, three brothers, George, Charles, Arthur, and one sister, Mrs. Gladys Roberts.  
Interment was made at Ocean View Burial Park, Vancouver, B.C.

Taylor—At Newmarket, on Monday, Aug. 3, Thomas Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Taylor, in his 44th year.  
The funeral service was held from his late residence this afternoon. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Thomas—At Newmarket, on Monday, Aug. 3, Richard John Thomas, in his 84th year, husband of Emily Ann Burgess, and father of Mary E. Thomas, Toronto, Matron Lillian E. Thomas, Debert, N.S., and Percy P. Thomas, Gravenhurst.  
The funeral service was held from the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose on Wednesday afternoon. Interment at Bolton, Ont.

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# SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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—Mrs. R. Watson and daughter Erma of Huntsville were visitors at the home of Mrs. Arthur Evans last week. Mr. Watson (Bob) was a former assistant at the C.N.R. station in Newmarket and lived at 35 Millard Ave.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Colin Gamble and their daughter, Mrs. Macleod, and her young son, Colin, were in town a few days last week from their summer home in Haliburton.  
—Lieut. and Mrs. Clare Watts of North Bay spent the weekend with Mrs. Watts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bond. Master Billie Bond of New Liskeard is spending his holidays here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bond.  
—Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Holmes of Stratford were in Newmarket over the weekend. They expect to spend their holidays later this month at Lake Simcoe.  
—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hays of Lansing, Michigan, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. Hays' brother, Mr. Chas. Hays, and Mrs. Hays. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hays have a son and a son-in-law, both corporals, in the American army at Fort Leonard Wood.

—Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Coombs of Niagara Falls spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dew.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Broughton left on Saturday afternoon to spend a week at Jackson's Point.  
—Mrs. Paul Geupel of Kirkland Lake visited her sisters, Mrs. Andrew Cullen and Miss Rita Kirk, over the holiday weekend.  
—Cpl. Alfred Kirk of the R.C.A.F., Angus, spent Sunday with his sisters, Mrs. Andy Cullen and Miss Rita Kirk.  
—Miss Florence Bird of Welland, Miss Oudia Strange of Aultsville, and Mr. Glen Cripes of Cornwall, were the weekend guests of their aunt, Mrs. Charles Churchill, and Mr. Churchill.

—Mrs. Barbara Rose and little granddaughter, Barbara Ann McGregor, of Toronto, are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Mathewson.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sheridan, Raymond and Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wright spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Londry, Thornbury. Mrs. Sheridan and children are staying for a week.

—Miss Margaret Smith and Master Paul Smith, Miss Mary Jane Hope and Master John Hope are visiting their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Londry, Thornbury.  
—Mrs. E. N. Penrose is in Thornbury at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. R. Londry, and Mr. Londry.

—Mrs. Clarence St. John of Aurora spent the holiday weekend with her father, Mr. N. F. Bennett.  
—Mrs. Robt. Graves is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Carson, King City.

—Miss Virginia Lobb of Peterborough is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. LaParde.  
—Mrs. T. Mills spent the holiday weekend in Orillia with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Thompson.  
—Mrs. J. Edwards of Toronto spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Evans.

—Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Brunton left for their home in Bradenton, Fla., after spending the past month in town. Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Townley of Ottawa visited them last week.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Wright and little daughter, Peggy, of Leacock, have returned home after spending the past two weeks with Mrs. Wright's mother, Mrs. Richard Pollock.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lepard returned on Monday from a week's cruise on the Great Lakes to Fort William.  
—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Harvey of Lakefield are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hewson.

## BIRTHS

Cune—At York county hospital, Aug. 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Belfry Cune, Newmarket, a son.

Fairbank—At York county hospital, July 29, to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Fairbank, Queensville, a son.

Gray—At York county hospital, Aug. 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Aylmer Gray, R. R. 1, Gormley, a daughter.

Lyons—At St. Michael's hospital, Toronto, Aug. 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Lyons (nee Marie Draper), of Scarborough Bluffs, formerly of Newmarket, a daughter, Karen Marie.

Matt—At Sutton Private hospital, July 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Matt (nee Dorothy Hibbert), a son.

West—In loving memory of our dear husband and father, George Henry West, who passed away Aug. 9, 1941.

Gone, dear husband; gone forever. How we miss your smiling face. But you left us to remember. None on earth can take your place.

A happy home we once enjoyed, How sweet the memory still, But death has left a loneliness The world can never fill.

Lovingly remembered by his wife, Della, and son, Kenneth.

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—Rev. and Mrs. G. Johnson of east Toronto spent the weekend at the rectory. Mr. Johnson took the services at St. Paul's church on Sunday.  
—Mrs. Sadie Ramsay Poat of Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting relatives and friends in Canada. She called on Newmarket friends recently and, in King, on her cousin, Miss A. A. Ferguson.  
—Mrs. W. O. Carruthers and Miss Ruby Carruthers are enjoying a boat trip from Sarnia to Duluth.  
—Mrs. Ernest Kyte, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Wilson and baby and Mr. Douglas Wilson spent last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson, Windsor.  
—Mrs. M. J. Riddell and Miss Margaret Riddell were holidaying at Thunder Bay last week.  
—Miss Frances Cranley and Mr. Ambrose Cranley of Bradford, and Mrs. Walter Cranley of Lethbridge, Alta., spent Sunday as the guests of Mrs. Wilmot Hill.  
—Miss Elizabeth Arlitt of Milwaukee, Wis., is spending three weeks as the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Paul Arlitt.  
—Miss Helen Blindauer spent the holiday weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Blindauer, at Port Elgin.  
—Mrs. Alex. Eves and daughter, Doris, and son, Ronald, are spending two weeks vacationing at Port Elgin.  
—Mr. and Mrs. James Jackson and little son of North Bay spent the holiday weekend with Mrs. Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Armstrong.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Morton of Toronto and Mrs. Ivan Nelson and family are holidaying at Lake Simcoe.  
—Miss Marguerite Callaghan of Ottawa spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Callaghan.  
—Little Miss Lorraine Greaves of Toronto is spending a couple of weeks holidays with her aunt, Mrs. O. Hisey.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Irwin (Dick) Pollock and daughter, Joan, of Windsor, have returned home after spending the past two weeks with Mr. Pollock's mother, Mrs. Richard Pollock.  
—Mr. E. D. Manning of Kenora was calling on relatives in town on Friday night.  
—Mrs. W. Brethour and son, Billy, of Galt, are spending two weeks' vacation with Mr. and Mrs. William Young, Park Ave. Murray, of Toronto, are spending this week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Ruddock.  
—Miss Myrtle Ruddock of Toronto is spending two weeks holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ruddock.  
—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Collins, Miss Jean Collins and Mr. Gordon Collins spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Collins in Felsburg, Orchard Beach. Miss Jean Collins is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Collins for a week.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Harland of Ottawa spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Harland.  
—Misses Margaret and Claire Gould, Marguerite Callaghan, and Betty and Dorothy Dales, who have been in the government service at Ottawa, were home for the weekend. Miss Betty Dales is remaining home for the present.  
—Miss Evelyn Pearson, of the staff of the British purchasing commission in Washington, whose home is in Toronto, was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Dales over the weekend.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Will Lee of Connecticut, and Mrs. Jas. Lee and daughters from Pennsylvania, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Davey.  
—Miss May Mollenhauer of Toronto was a guest last week of Miss B. E. Lyons.  
—Mrs. Clara Harper of Hamilton is in town this week calling on friends.  
—Mrs. Alfretha Prince of Toronto is visiting friends in town this week.

passed away suddenly at Toronto, Aug. 9, 1941.

When evening shades are falling And we sit in quiet alone, To our hearts there comes a longing If only could come home.

Friends may think we have forgotten. When at times they see us smile, But they little know the heartache Our smiles hide all the while.

Sadly missed by mother and dad, Mr. and Mrs. George West, sister Nell and brother Roy, Holt, Ont.

Page—In loving memory of our dear father, Charles George Page, who passed away Aug. 9, 1970, a veteran of the Great War.

He suffered much He earned his rest. The Lord called him. Home for he knew best. May his reward be as Great as his sacrifice.

Sadly missed by daughter and son-in-law, Mabel and Charles.

## In Memoriam

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# LORNA PEARSON IS LOVELY BRIDE

A pretty wedding was solemnized in Queensville United church against a background of gladioli and white hydrangea with evergreen, on Saturday afternoon, when Lorna Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Pearson of Queensville, became the bride of Mr. Horace Reginald Button, son of Mr. Frederick Lorne Button, K.C., and Mrs. Button, Stouffville. Rev. Hugh Shannon performed the ceremony. Mrs. J. L. Smith was at the organ and Mr. Murray Huntley sang.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a gown of white mousseline de soie, with sweetheart neckline and slight train. She carried a cascade bouquet of gardenias and swansonias, and her fingertip veil of sheer chiffon was caught from a bonnet matching her dress. She wore a string of pearls. Miss Audrey Georgina Pearson was her sister's attendant, and wore a frock of sky blue organza de soie, fashioned on the same lines as the bride's. Her headress was also similar, and she carried a nosegay of pink carnations and blue cornflowers. Mr. Donald Hodgins was best man. The ushers were David Jamieson, Thomas Barnes, Henry Bull, all of Toronto, and Howard Stiver of Unionville.

Following the ceremony, the bride's mother received the guests on the lawn of her home. She wore a blue sheer gown and a corsage of pink sweet peas and baby's breath. She was assisted by the groom's mother in orchid chiffon, and wearing yellow roses.

The young couple left for a holiday in Muskoka, Mrs. Button donning a navy and white checked taffeta suit with wide white revers and a matching navy pompadour hat with veil, and red accessories. They will reside in Stouffville.

Mrs. Button is a former member of the Newmarket high school staff. She is a graduate of McMaster university. Mr. Button is a graduate of the University of Toronto and Osgoode Hall.

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**Massey-Harris Tanks Are Ahead of Schedule**

"One of the best achievements industry can point to in the United States," said General Donald Armstrong, deputy chief of the Chicago ordnance district, in referring to the attainment of tank production approximately three months ahead of schedule by the United States organization of the Massey-Harris Company.

In this manner, within the brief space of five months, the management and workers of the United States division of this well-known Canadian Company have fulfilled the promise made to General Armstrong, in February of this year when the contract was received, by J. S. Duncan, president and general manager of the company, "that the success we have made so far in armament production was due to the spirit in which the men of Massey-Harris had tackled the various projects and that same spirit would be back of the tank undertaking, and because of it he could assure him success."

At a mass meeting outside the tank plant last Friday, workmen and executives of Massey-Harris cheered the announcement by General Armstrong that tanks which had not been expected before mid-September were already undergoing operating tests and that the present rate of production would make possible the delivery of tanks to the fighting forces three months earlier than originally anticipated.

General Armstrong told the workmen that they were making these tanks to be used by their sons, their friends, their neighbors in the fighting forces.

"Keep the fighting men in mind as you build these tanks," he said, "and keep in mind mothers and fathers like Mrs. Peterson and your fellow Massey-Harris workman, Chris Peterson, who have three sons in the fighting forces and who pray that their boys will have the arms and equipment that will give them the power for victory."

W. K. Hyslop, vice-president of Massey-Harris Company, expressed the thanks of the company to the workmen for making the celebration possible. "It has been a big job," he said, "it is still a big job, but if you all continue to perform in the future as you have up to this point the ultimate completion of this contract will be even farther ahead of schedule than we are today."

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stamps, which you sent in connection with the Portsmouth Air District Fund.  
"It is very good indeed of you to collect so many stamps, and I hope you will again convey my thanks to all those who helped you."  
"Your previous gift stamps have been sold with others I have received from the various colonies, and a good sum has been raised for the Air District Fund."  
Zilpah Lavender then gave a talk on "The road of the loving heart," dealing with that great author, Robert Louis Stevenson, and the Samoans. Through the kindness of Stevenson, these native built a road through the jungle and thus it received the name of "The road of the loving heart."  
The group have sent their fourth box of 5,000 used postage stamps.

# FLORENCE LAVENDER IS SOLDIER'S BRIDE

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's mother, on Saturday afternoon, when Florence Daisy Lavender, younger daughter of Mrs. Chas. H. Webb, Newmarket, and Pte. Norman David Wallace, Camp Borden, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Wallace, Rockwood, were united in marriage. Rev. Henry Cotton of Trinity United church officiated.

The bride wore a street-length, pale blue frock with matching hat and white accessories, and carried a corsage of pink roses. Miss Zilpah Alice Lavender, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and wore a street-length chalky rose frock, matching hat and white accessories. Her corsage was red roses.

Lance-Corporal Verdun Todd of Newmarket training camp was best man.

Following the ceremony, a luncheon was served. The young couple will reside in Newmarket.

Among those attending the ceremony from out-of-town were Mrs. Wm. Wallace, mother of the groom, Rockwood, Mr. Alex. Wallace, brother of the groom, London, and Mrs. Verdun Todd, Toronto.

# JEAN POWELL IS BRIDE OF K. GILES

Westley United church, Vaudor, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Saturday when Jean Adele, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Powell, Aurora, became the bride of Kenneth Ross Giles, Newmarket, son of Mr. John Giles, Newmarket, and the late Mrs. Giles.

The church, at which five generations of the bride's family had attended service, was beautifully decorated with gladioli, snapdragons, ferns and summer flowers. Rev. L. Atkinson of Uxbridge, cousin of the bride, officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white net over taffeta with bodice on princess lines, with a halo of small white roses and fingertip veil. Her flowers were Columbia roses with bouvardia.

Miss Margaret R. (Ella) Green was bridesmaid and had chosen a gown of turquoise net over taffeta, with small matching hat and a halo of Shasta daisies. She carried a bouquet of Shasta daisies.

Pretty little Dorothy Jones of Toronto, wearing a frock of pink net over taffeta, was a nosegay of cornflowers and rosebuds, was a demure flower girl.

John Jones of Newmarket attended the groom, while the ushers were Grant Morley of Vaudor and Murray Case of Mount Albert. The wedding march was played by Miss Lottie Atkinson, the bride's aunt, and during the signing of the register Mrs. Lambert Willson sang "In the Garden of My Heart."

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Powell received wearing grey silk crepe with black accessories and a corsage of Tallman roses. Mrs. Giles, mother of the groom, wore a frock of printed chiffon, with white accessories and a corsage of Tallman roses. About 70 guests were present from Hamilton, Uxbridge, Barrie, Stayner, Toronto and many other centres.

For travelling the bride wore a turquoise crepe ensemble with matching hat and white accessories. Following a wedding trip in northern Ontario they will reside in Aurora.

## Engagements

The engagement is announced of Ruth Eileen, daughter of Mr. T. A. Palmatier of Newmarket, to Sgt. J. D. Wood of the R.C.A.F., son of Mr. J. H. Wood of Toronto, and the late Mrs. Wood, the marriage to take place in August at Hart House Chapel, University of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman J. Sedore of Newmarket wish to announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Muriel Evelyn, to Mr. Donald Hamman, son of Mr. Fred Stephens of Newmarket, and the late Mr. Stephens, the marriage to take place in August.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stokes of Mount Albert wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Ellen, to Donald Degeer, son of Mrs. Marshall Degeer and the late Mr. Degeer. The wedding to take place during August.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira D. Russell, Stouffville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marlon Pearl, to Gordon Earl Crowder, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Crowder, Stouffville, Ontario. The wedding to take place Aug. 15.

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## KING TAKES ACTION TO SHARE IN FINES

In order that the township may receive its share of fines imposed, King township council has ordered that the township part-time constables should lay all police court charges themselves and not have county constables lay charges for them.

The council resolution, moved by Councillors E. M. Legge and C. E. Warkington, also instructed them to file their costs, mileage, etc., with the court.

Fines are credited, after the province receives 40 percent of the gross revenue and the court expenses are deducted, to the township or the county or the province according to which constables have laid the charges.

The result is that when a township constable asks a county constable for assistance, and has him lay a charge, the township loses any share of the fine.

The York county police courts, however, are not allowing any costs to constables at the present time.

Reeve Thos. MacMurchy presided over a council meeting at Kettleby on Saturday. The councillors were all present.

Monday was proclaimed a civic holiday in the township.

The council approved payment of \$20 to J. P. Jefferson and \$22 to Roy Sharpe in sheep claims, and \$6 to Cecil Wray as valuator.

The council returned the following amounts of taxes overpaid: Edward Murphy, \$7.04; M. D. Richardson, \$1.07; Frank Camisio, 33 cents; H. C. Mills, 63 cents; D. B. Ross, 32 cents.

As King's share of 1942 maintenance of the Holland Marsh drainage scheme, the township will pay \$654.88 to West Gwillimbury.

The township will receive from the county \$728.30, of which \$582.03 will be a discount for prepayment of the county levy and \$146.27 overpayment to the county.

Accounts which the council approved for payment included: parish hall, Kettleby, rent for council meeting, \$5; H. C. Ross, clerk, registrations, \$4.25; W. S. Davis, constable services, \$11; S. J. Joscelyn, on account of auditor's fees, \$175; Nobleton postmaster, stamps, \$9; Gus Farquhar, constable services, \$12.90; Dr. Dillane, \$5; Wm. Cutting, constable services, \$26.80; Chas. Ross, tax collector, \$7.85.

## VANDORF CLERGYMEN TRADE HOMES AND PULPITS

Master John White is holidaying at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. White, at Agincourt.

Florence King and Samuel King, of Toronto, visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Switzer, for a few days recently.

Rev. Mr. McCartney of Sundridge and Rev. Mr. Westcott are exchanging their pulpits and their homes for the next three weeks. Mr. McCartney will conduct the services at Wesley church for the next three Sundays.

## SNOWBALL

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph West of Hamilton have been visiting Mrs. West's sister, Mrs. William Farren.

The W.A. and W.M.S. will hold their August meeting at the home of Mrs. Earl Buckle, Yonge St., on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McGill of Toronto spent the holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morning, and were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Farren, Sr., on Sunday evening.

A dinner will be held in the United church basement on Sept. 1.

A quilting will be held on Thursday afternoon by the south group of the W.A. at the home of Mr. Pennell Rothwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Storey of St. Catharines spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Will Storey.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Copson recently when a large number of friends and neighbors assembled to "shower" a recent bride and groom, Miss Phyllis Fish and Mr. Norman Storey.

Mrs. Rose Ferguson of Aurora is spending a few days with her granddaughter, Mrs. Owen Barr. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Myers and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Stan. Auckland of Zephyr were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haines.

Miss Marie Morning is visiting her aunt at Agincourt and Miss Blanche Morning is spending some holidays with her cousin, Margaret Brooks, Aurora.

## LIBRARIAN IS ILL

Miss Marjorie Andrews returned from hospital last Friday and is now convalescing at her home. It will be some weeks before she can resume her post at the Aurora public library.

## WRONG DIET

An old dorky was sent to the hospital and one of the nurses put a thermometer in his mouth to take his temperature. Presently, when the doctor made his rounds, he said:

"Well, Moses, have you had any nourishment?"

"A lady done gimme a piece of glass to suck on, boss, but I'se still pow'ful hungry."

## WITH THE SOLDIERS

LAC Douglas Egan, Camp Borden, and Mrs. Egan are on holiday in Hamilton.

Pte. "Bus" Franklin of Oakridges is now stationed at Camp Borden with the R.C.A.S.C. Earl Neilly, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Neilly, Temperance St., has enlisted with the Scotch Fusiliers. Pte. N. D. Egan of the Queen's York Rangers, 1st Bn., spent the weekend at his home.

T. D. Colten of Richmond Hill, who is a rifleman overseas, recently married Miss Kay Langridge of Croydon, Surrey, England.

Fusilier Earl C. Neilly has returned to his unit at Allenburg, after spending part of his leave with his brother, Homer Neilly, at Schumacher.

Major C. R. Boulding, R.C.A.M.C., Stanley barracks, Toronto, spent the weekend at his home.

ACI Dan Lawson of the R.C.A.F., Toronto, spent the weekend at his home.

Douglas Bilbrough of the R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bilbrough, has been promoted to corporal and is now stationed at Sydney, N.S., being transferred from Dauphin, Man.

Clayton Videau of the R.C.N. is stationed at Halifax, N.S.

Major Harold Cook, former Aurora boy and a member of the staff at Harbor C.I., Toronto, is one of the instructors at the secondary school national defence course at Orillia.

John Tucker has joined the R.C.A.S.C. "Tommy" now stationed at Camp Borden.

Pte. Leonard Newton of the provost corps, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Lawrence "Son" Lawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Lawson, Catharine Ave., reported to the R.C.A.F. last week and is now stationed at Lachine, P.Q. His brother, Daniel, is with the air force in Toronto.

Tpr. Harry Spragg of the armored corps, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Gns. Charles Dawson and Morley Barnard have left for Petawawa camp.

Cecil Brown has been transferred from the R.C.O.C. to the artillery and is now stationed at Petawawa camp.

Lieut. N. F. Johnson of the armored corps, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Sgt. David Judd who is stationed at Debert, N.S., spent two days at his home last week.

At Niagara camp with the 2nd battalion of the Irish Regiment this week are Lieut. L. J. Hoagerty and Piper Jack Davidson of Aurora.

Neils Anderson left this week to report to the R.C.A.F. He is the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Graham and was employed by the Collis Leather Co.

ACI Clarence Fisher of the R.C.A.F., Angus, spent the weekend with his father, Councillor A. N. Fisher.

Pte. Bob Hillis of Camp Borden has returned to duty after spending his furlough with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Travis.

LAC Joseph McGhee of the R.C.A.F., Mountain View, spent the weekend at his home.

In a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Atkinson, Pte. Ernie Atkinson of the R.C.A.S.C., who arrived overseas recently, says that he is well and has already contacted Sgt. Leslie Steadman, another Aurora boy. He has also seen his first German plane and says it is easy to distinguish them.

Lieut. Dr. C. J. Devins of the 2nd and 4th battalions of the York Rangers will leave tomorrow to join the county unit at Niagara for the balance of the camp. Owing to pressure of business, Lieut. Devins has not been able to leave sooner.

LAC Warren Jenkinson of Dunnville spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. M. Jenkinson.

LAC Reg. Wade of the R.C.A.F., Guelph, spent the weekend at his home.

Pte. Harold Matheson of the R.C.O.C., Kingston, spent the weekend at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Closs spent the weekend at Hamilton.

Cpl. Reg. Southwood of the 1st battalion, Queen's York Rangers, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Southwood.

Pte. Vic. Lane of Simcoe spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lane.

Mrs. Wm. Morris received word this week that her brother, Tpr. James Shore, has arrived safely in England.

## WITH THE CHURCHES

Rev. Dr. John Cohoun of the board of social service of the United Church of Canada took Sunday's service at Aurora United church.

Rev. J. McEvoy of Toronto took Sunday's service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church.

Rev. W. L. Palfreman was the preacher at Sunday morning's service at Aurora Baptist church.

The WMS of Aurora United church met today at the home of Mrs. E. H. Clark.

Rev. J. Stewart took Sunday's services at Zephyr and Sandford United churches on Sunday.

Mrs. Lambert Willson was guest soloist at the United church on Sunday.

Good services were enjoyed by all at the Gospel Tabernacle, Mosley and Victoria Sts., last Sunday, with a large attendance over the holiday weekend. Next Sunday Pastor H. G. Hawkins will preach at both services.

Saturday evening at 9 p.m. the Tabernacle, assisted by other groups in the surrounding district, will hold an open-air service on the main street of Aurora.

## Sisman's Keep Key Machines Going Nights

Owing to the fact that no new shoe machinery is available for purchase the T. Sisman Shoe Co. as a wartime measure has found it necessary to have a night shift on certain vital machines. About six or seven men are affected in their employment and are now working at night in order that the day shift may go full blast.

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#### Social AND Personal

Miss Joyce Bird left on Monday to visit her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Shell, New Westminster, B.C.

Mrs. J. Ness of Montreal, P.Q., is visiting her brother and sisters, Cecile C. A. Malloy and the Misses C. and M. Malloy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beach and Miss Vivian Beach returned home on Monday after spending a week at Sundridge.

Dr. and Mrs. A. V. Boland spent the weekend at Forest.

Miss Vivian Neilly spent the weekend at Maple Farm, Bradford.

Mrs. W. J. Sisman, Misses Mavis and Patricia Sisman and Miss Edith Anderson attended the graduation ceremonies at Malton on Friday, when P. O. John Sisman received his wings.

Mr. and Mrs. Delroy Babcock and Mrs. Wm. Obee have returned after spending a month at Lake Simcoe.

Rev. and Mrs. R. K. Perdue and family returned home last Saturday after spending a month at Big Bay Point. Mr. Perdue took Sunday's services at Trinity Anglican church.

Mr. Harold LaValle is on holidays at Parry Sound this week.

Miss Vera Clarke is on holidays at Lake Rosseau.

Miss Edna Green, R.N., Toronto, is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Barkey motored to Crystal Beach over the holiday.

Sgt. and Mrs. Keith Southwood and Miss Hilda Grimes are on two weeks holidays in Toniko.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Rose and family are on holidays at Lake Simcoe this week.

Mrs. Charles Dunham attended the Button-Pearson nuptials at Queensville on Saturday.

Miss Rachel Rank is spending her holidays the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cameron, Crystal Beach.

Alderman and Mrs. Grant Mayor, Barrie, were in town calling on friends following the Giles-Powell wedding last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Marshall spent the weekend at Niagara Falls, Ont.

Capt. Elsie Harris of the Salvation Army, Mimico, formerly stationed here, spent a few days last week in town.

Miss Irene Heath of Toronto has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bodfish and family, former Aurora residents, spent the weekend in town.

Miss Mary Griffith has returned this week to her duties at Toronto General hospital after three weeks' holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McDonald and Miss Margaret McDonald are visiting at Sydenham, Ont., with Mr. and Mrs. Muir McDonald.

Miss Blanche Morning of Snowball is visiting her cousin, Miss Margaret Brooks.

Miss Leila Reynolds of Regina is visiting her mother, Mrs. John Locke.

Mrs. Crawford Rose and children attended a family reunion in Listowel on Monday.

Miss Joan Reynolds of St. Catharines is visiting her cousin, Miss Barbara Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Sawyer and daughter, of Toronto, were weekend guests of Mrs. E. Quinn.

Mrs. Charles Cluhine and son, Charles, of Willowdale were visiting in town on Monday.

Major and Mrs. C. R. Boulding and family have taken a cottage at Leffroy for the month of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bales of Toronto spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Phillips.

Miss Mae Fry and Miss Pauline McKenzie are holidaying this week at Bala.

Miss Muriel Graham is spending holidays in the Hamilton district, the guest of Miss Mary Walker.

Miss Rose Spence of Toronto spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. George Spence.

Mr. George Ingelson of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Richbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Eveleigh are spending two weeks at Waukegan.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. C. Gunton and family motored to Bala over the holiday weekend. Miss Lorraine Gunton remained to spend several weeks with her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson of South Bend, Indiana, called on Mrs. H. J. Charles on Tuesday. They will be in Aurora again on Thursday, renewing acquaintances.

Mrs. Patterson is an old Aurora boy and attended school here. Mr. J. Whitmer was one of his teachers. He had not been in Aurora for 32 years.

John Sisman, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sisman, received his wings and the rank of Pilot-Officer in an impressive ceremony at Malton training centre last Friday. Pilot-Officer Sisman enlisted in 1941. He attended both St. Andrew's College and Aurora high school, where he was prominent in hockey. He is a talented musician and won honors at the last York musical festival.

## Case's Aces Take First Game In Softball Finals

In a thrilling free-hitting game Case's Aces took the first of the Aurora town league softball finals as they downed Pete. Harman's Collis Leather boys 14-9 in an eight-inning fixture last week. Except for a fatal second inning, when the farm boys had a regular harvest and garnered nine runs, the Collis boys had an even or better break on the play.

Manager Charlie Case crossed up the fans by sending Harold Botham to the hilltop for the hay-balers and, except for the fifth inning, when the leathermakers scored five times, he had the game well in hand.

Seldom have so many fine fielding plays been seen in the park. Dennis Cummings, Lloyd and Anderson all made feature running catches and the hitting while free was largely untainted by errors or miscues.

Gilkes, who hurled the game for the losers, after one bad inning was tops and the loss was partly his own fault, as wildness made the initial play for his downfall. Case showed Ray Lloyd and Ewart Jennings, two former King players in his line-up, and both proved

aces in the hole, as they fielded sensationally and batted well. Saigle and Hodgins, who handled the game, turned in one of the best bits of umpiring of the season. "Buck" Preston at first base turned in a fine game for the winners. So did Manager Case and Botham.

The Collis boys featured with Ernie Cummings, Stan, Walker and Bill West. In the eighth inning, seeking to retrieve a loose ball, Bill West slipped in the mud to pull an act that would have done credit to Al Schacht.

Both teams indicated that they would be hard to beat from here in. George Hodgins announced he would field a team for Sisman's, and not play Wes. Perry, to keep peace and harmony. Manager Leon Simmons will not, however, permit the shoeies in the finals.

Permission was granted the Collis team to use catcher "Nibs" Saigle of the Queen's Yorks. Davidson, regular catcher of the tannery, will be at camp for the next two weeks and with available players scarce Pete. Harman had to turn on his silvery oratory to work the transfer.

## North York Sends Goodly Representation To Camp

Members of C company of the Queen's York Rangers attending camp at Niagara-on-the-Lake are:

From Aurora: C.S.M. T. A. Hulce, Cpls. Delroy Babcock, Tom Spence, Arnold Miller; L/Cpls. Earl Rose, Fred Rose, Gordon Stephenson.

Ptes. Gordon Boaks, Howard Bunn, George Case, Joe Clark, Bill Gordon, Ben. Harrison, Harold Kirtton, Mel. Longfield, B. M. Lopatrielli, Harold Sacarty, Bill Scatton, Bob Stephens, Tommy Trent.

With headquarters: Cpl. G. Lloyd, Schomberg; L/Cpl. Ken Multer, Ptes. Chas. Egan, Douglas Fisher, Owen Richard; John Closs, Ken Jones, all of Aurora; Schomberg: Cpl. F. MacKay; L/Cpls. Thos. Bartlett, George Shoults; Ptes. Norman Black, W. T. Hammett, Lorne Pierce, J. L. Smith.

Willowdale: Sgt. Jack Orr, Sgt. C. H. Ellis.

Nobleton: Ptes. Harold Cain, Frank McCutcheon, Harold Taylor.

Mount Albert: Ptes. Ellis Green, Howard Robertson.

Newmarket: Lieut. Larry Bell.

## TRINITY RECTOR HOLDS DAILY BIBLE SCHOOL

Over 50 youthful Aurorans attended the opening of Trinity church summer vacation school on Tuesday morning. The school goes on for the next two weeks.

Rev. R. K. Perdue, the rector, who is dean of the school, welcomed the young scholars and expressed the hope that they would profit physically, mentally and spiritually from the classes. Each morning a brief religious opening takes place, followed by groups in handicrafts, recreations and dramatics. The singing ceremony marks each day's opening and prayers are said for a speedy United Nations victory. The instructions and classes are entirely undenominational and many from churches other than the Church of England are attending.

Leaders of the groups are Miss D. Holland, Mrs. L. C. Lee and Mrs. William Milgate, assisted by Miss L. Bradbury, Joan Billing, Irene Brodie, Mrs. Wm. Boaks, Mrs. W. H. McGirr, Mrs. J. Thompson, Mrs. Wm. Trent, Mrs. W. C. Waite and Sister Marjorie, S.S.J.D., St. John's-on-the-Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hamer of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hamer for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stoneman of Elora were in Aurora for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Sisman spent the weekend at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ough.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Smith and daughter, Beverly, were at Island Grove Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gramshaw of Toronto spent the weekend with Mrs. Gramshaw's mother, Mrs. G. Teasdale, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bagshaw and wife of Peterborough are visiting Mrs. Bagshaw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Webster.

Mrs. James Underhill is in Toronto for two weeks, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. McCall.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Urquhart and Malcolm, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Linton, Bill and Ross were weekend-ing at Parry Sound.

George Spence and David Longhurst spent the holiday weekend fishing in northern Ontario.

W. J. Knowles has purchased the store on Wellington St. E. formerly known as Tunney's barber-shop.

There will be a game between Case's Aces and Sisman's on Friday night.

## SISMAN'S WIN AT 19TH HOLE, TIE WITH ACES

A large crowd watched Sisman's win a see-saw battle from the annery on Tuesday night in the town park. The score was 10-8.

This puts Sisman's and Case's Aces in a tie for first place, with the York Rangers getting a bye. Sisman's won the game in the ninth inning. The winning run was batted in by Mickey Sutton. It was fast ball all the way, with some sensational catches pulled down by both teams.

The stars of the night were Stan Walker and Mickey Sutton. Umpires were Stewart Patrick and Bill Holliday.

There will be a game between Case's Aces and Sisman's on Friday night.

Peter Crysdale of Aurora is employed on a farm at Streetsville for the summer months.

## C.C.F. TELLS ITS INTENTIONS

North York, for years an old-party stronghold in politics, is facing a serious invasion by a third party.

There have been cursory assaults against "Tory" or "Grit" stalwarts in the past by U.F.O., independents, prohibitionists and Reconstruction candidates, and in two or three campaigns by a C.C.F. candidate.

The Co-operative Commonwealth Federation candidates of yesterday, Kenneth Ross, a merchant of Mount Albert, and James Wark, railwayman of Richvale, were both able to garner only scattered support and relatively few votes.

Now with an active committee of six functioning and a 36-year-old lawyer, resident for ten years in the riding, directing things, the C.C.F. has been converted from North York from the Liberal fold and are optimistic enough to think they have a chance of doing so and to quote the words of Price Brown, the party's North York chairman, "a good chance."

The Era and Express interviewed Mr. Brown on the party's intentions. Mr. Brown said, "One thing is definite. The C.C.F. will have candidates in North York at the next elections, both provincial and dominion."

"The C.C.F. is the most democratically run party in Canada and there will be no railroading of candidates," he said. "We are hesitant of admitting persons who have been politically active for the old parties but we recognize that all people can be converted and any person who is out for the C.C.F. and the sake of its program and not for what he conceives to be temporary political advantage, owing to increased popularity in recent years, is always welcome. We place more value on the sincerity and capability of a proposed candidate than on any advance he has derived from his having already been in the public eye," he said.

North York, he admitted, was a big riding to organize, but he said "our committee will be shortly enlarged and soon after steps will be taken to form a North York C.C.F. riding association, when a nominating convention will be called. We have done a lot of spadework and are prepared to move fast if necessary. Our ultimate aim and object is to see that all portions of the riding receive adequate representation and that our organization represents all sections of the riding and is properly balanced."

Mr. Brown's father, with whom he practises law, is F. Erichsen Brown, K.C., member of a long-standing partnership which has Ian Strachan, K.C., Liberal whip in the provincial house, as a member of the firm. Mr. Brown's mother is the daughter of the late Prof. J. F. MacCord of the University of Toronto.

His parents won fame as ardent workers for votes for women. Mr. Brown, Sr., incorporated the "Equal Franchise League," which was instrumental in securing the amendment in 1920 which brought votes for women in Ontario. Aside from three children and his dogs, Price Brown's principal hobby is chess and for three years he was president of the Toronto Chess Association and vice-president of the Canadian Chess Federation.

He would like to see a farm candidate in North York but frankly admits his closest association with farming is having as friends North York neighboring farmers at King and Downsview.

"I consider the objects and aims of the C.C.F. party the only solution for the problems with which we are faced and which will be greatly increased after the war," he said. "We need bold thinking and clear vision but also great care and sound judgment. I have great confidence in our leaders, both dominion and provincial, whom I consider to be men of great ability."

"The C.C.F. farm principles are based on co-operation and are in line with the best farm thinking, and I believe the C.C.F. will obtain a large farm vote."

"It is essential to the best interests of the C.C.F. in Ontario, whether or not they win the next election, and I think they have a good chance of winning, that they succeed in electing good farm candidates to the legislature."

"The farmers should realize that it is in their best interests to influence the movement by electing farm representatives."

The present conduct of the war by the government at Ottawa he regarded as "highly unsatisfactory and tainted with party politics." The same thing applied to provincial government. Working men, he said, were more and more realizing their real hope lay in a new party organized by producers.

"We give wholehearted leadership and being about national unity," he said. "Our policies have been built to do just that, not as vote-catchers but in a sincere honest endeavor to see greater equality for all."

Robt. Stephens, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Stephens, left for Montreal a few weeks ago and is now with the merchant marine.

Mrs. Carl Burling is now occupying residence on Temperance St., next to the Caruso property.

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## DOWN THE CENTRE

Jingle, jangle, jangle, and once again for the third successive year we come up with all-star ratings of our favorite hardball and softball performers, and to quote the words of the most popular tune of the current hit parade we hope our choices "aren't so very far from wrong."

Softball in North York flourishes on three fronts. In the south part Agincourt have won the Markham-Scarboro league, and a girls' league is also flourishing. At Aurora a town softball league of four teams is functioning and at the present moment is in the throes of the play-offs.

Northwards, with the exception of Newmarket camp, there is nothing to speak of so far as the big apple is concerned. All over the county a church softball league of both boys and girls functioned as usual but we aren't going to seriously consider it even though it did provide a lot of fun.

Newmarket Camp fielded one of the best fastball teams in the history of the district and were so good they won military honors around the Toronto area and in inter-camp competition were about as good as any, except for Chatham camp, who are now at their fifteenth straight win. We should have liked to see Wes. Niles' boys in action against last year's Barrie Collegians. We feel they could have taken them and in Cee. Brown they have the nearest thing to the redoubtable Harry Cause we have seen, except for Teddy Bennett of Richmond Hill when he was in his prime, which is more than a few years ago.

We award orchids to the Camp team for the best collection of ball players of the year but before the

final curtain rings down we should like to see them in action against the all-star Aurora town league team, which we think is the best balanced aggregation ever to be laid down in Aurora. That might not be so much, as Aurora never won a district title for a good many years, but for hitting, fielding and general ability the boys this year if grouped in one club would have done pretty well.

Aurora Pickers consisted of Leon Simmons, Sisman's, erstwhile mentor of the Aurora town team, Pete Harman of Collis Leathers, Charlie Case of the former Aces entry and yours truly on behalf of the Queen's Yorks, who may yet be a big factor in the play-offs come two weeks hence.

Difficulty was experienced in picking a team that had players who performed consistently at one spot. Wartime made it so that different players were on the scene nearly every game and the regulars in many instances were shifted from pillar to post. Nevertheless a job has been done and in case the players are placed where they didn't play it is because the selectors have decided they can fill that spot better than anyone else.

A first team only is picked because of the difficulty of correlating a second team, so that honorable mention will be equivalent to a second team spot in ordinary times.

Charlie Case, leader of the Aces and with York-Simcoe experience, is the regular catcher. Charlie has played better than usual this year and has put fight into his team. He is apt to get a "mad" on, which detracts at times from his value. Wes. Heaney was the only serious rival and he has been spotted at

another berth. Heaney mechanically is sound but lacks ginger and I have always preferred a husky catcher to one the size of "Little Jullius." Jack Davidson, youngest receiver of them all, will do once he gets more confidence.

Morley Cook, also a former big-leaguer, is the starting pitcher. He has pitched fairly spotty ball and more poise and headwork would save a lot of effort.

Wes. Perry, the newcomer to Aurora softball wars, is probably the better of the two but he has pitched only two games. Last year he was with an aircraft company at Collingwood and he has shown enough to indicate that at top form he is the peer of local hustlers of other days. Larry Smith of the Yorks is another fine performer but he has been seen only in relief roles, although some think he is the best in the league. He pitched in Toronto last year. Gilkes, once he gets more control, will be real good, and lanky Al. Stephenson of the Yorks is another good prospect.

Bill Holloway of Sisman's gets the first base assignment. He is a veteran but still sprightly, full of green, and has the best knowledge of the rules of any player. The crop of first sackers was the best in years. Del. Babcock, Bill West and Buck Preston, veteran ball players, but younger than Holloway, all gave their best performance in years and any one would not weaken the team.

Stan Walker of the tannery goes to second base. He has played short all season but could fill second as well. His work at short has been sensational throughout, and he has made some of the finest stops we have ever seen. Roy Smith of the Aces also looks good here.

George Hodgins takes the shortstop position and he has shown better form at bat than in other years. Hodgins, after two years in York-Simcoe competition, is just reaching top form and with a well balanced and managed team would really stand out.

Wes. Heaney completes the infield and with his experience and hitting power he would be a real asset. He has worn well throughout the years. At 29, having had about ten years of softball, "Ninny" will guard the redlight corner well.

Harry Sutton gets the first outfield berth and we will place him in right-field. For years past Harry has been playing softball but mostly as an infielder, and not doing too well either. This year is different. In the pastures he has found himself and been a sure catch and a heavy hitter at the plate.

Paul Warner, the white-thatched Toronto boy who plays for the farmers, goes to left field. He has been good all year and can drop down some nice bunts or Texas leaguers. Larry Smith of the Yorks will guard centre field. He is the best utility player in the league in our opinion and a dependable basher. We place him on the team above Nels Anderson of the tannery because he is a much heavier hitter than Anderson. Nels has been a sensation in the right field spot for his team but he has been so dependable we're going to include him on the first team as a spare fielder.

The first team therefore reads: Charlie Case c. Morley Cook and Wes. Perry, pitchers, Bill Holloway 1b, Stan Walker 2b, Wes Heaney 3b, George Hodgins ss, and Harry Sutton, Larry Smith, Paul Warner and Nels Anderson in the outfield. So far, the judge of talent as Leon Simmons, looking at the final tabulation, declared the aggregation to be the best balanced team ever assembled in Aurora, and we agree with this idea too!

Honorable mentions go to the following: Fred R. e. Ken Harman. Del. Babcock and Lyall Sparks of the Yorks; George Patterson and Syd. Lustic of Sisman's; Bill West, Ernie Cummings and Jim McGhee of the tannery; Harold Botham, Duke Dennis, Buck Preston and Roy Smith of the Aces.

The future of softball locally seems well assured, as a host of younger players, Rowe, Richards, Rolph, Harman, Mickey Sutton, Dave Ferguson, Bill Gilkes, Al. Stephenson, Davidson and Miller, are all youngsters with a chance to go places if they bear down. The fans have had a grand time this year. Lots of hard hitting, errors, sensational plays, and new faces, and best of all, to the parsimonious Aurorans, the hat hasn't been passed around yet. We hope the Perry case has now been settled and things go on as originally planned. The league is bigger than any player and a little give and take all along the line is needed. Two or three of the boys have minds that need a stick of dynamite to charge them once they've made them up.

Newmarket hardballers have enjoyed a good season but we are really no person to speak about that. We've seen only one game. So we have no personal share in the final choices. We wrote to seven Newmarketers to give us their all-star choices. We got replies from three and the results are so close all-round that we don't think there will be much squawking. Our selectors, in view of the fact that we didn't have a large board, we leave anonymous, suffice it for us to say one is a present player in the league, the second is a former player in the league and the third is a fan of many years standing who old Fonce de Leon driving himself nuts as he hunted for it 300 years ago or more.

Charlie VanZant gets the first team catching spot. He was a unanimous choice, with Tarzan Pirle of the Camp in second place. Both boys have plenty of experience and a wide variety when it comes to vocabulary and kidding the batters. Pegging to the bases is done in bullet-like fashion. VanZant is the heavier hitter. For three years now we have been expecting Charlie to be cracking at the joints but in the words of one selector, "Charlie doesn't seem to be slowing up a bit." The talkative but highly likeable Newmarket boy appears to have found the elixir of life which old Fonce de Leon driving himself nuts as he hunted for it 300 years ago or more.

Lefty Newbold of the Camp is a three-way selection for starting pitcher. He is perhaps the best hurler ever to appear in Newmar-

#### ATTENDS CONVENTION



Bandmaster C. F. Thiele of Waterloo, one of the organizers of the Canadian Bandmasters' Association, will attend the convention in Newmarket on Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Thiele is well known in Newmarket.

ket hardball and certainly has had plenty of experience. For a pitcher he can bang the sphere of horsehide about too. Oliver Gould of the Davis team is a promising youngster and has turned in some grand efforts. As yet he hasn't learned to place himself but he has lots of natural ability. Newbold can last indefinitely and pitching seems to him a matter of no effort at all. Gould is a shade the better hitter but as a relief hurler would be really good. He can play a star game at third base too. Bob Peters has also been good in spots.

Bob Peters gets the first-base assignment over Gorrie and Haskett. Bob is a smooth fielder and of course a southpaw which gives him an advantage in inner garden strategy. He too has been able to move as spry as ever. Gorrie is a neat performer, and Haskett has unsurpassed team loyalty.

Earl Gould is a four-star performer at the keystone peg. A brother of Oliver Gould, he has been the driving force of the Specialty crew, covering acres of ground, and fielding sensationally. He is a Burgess Whitehead. He can pulverize the pill too. Of all the players in the league, considering his age and limited experience, if he gets the chance, he should be heard from in much higher company. His closest rival is Jack Wright, now at the Camp. Wright is perhaps the speediest base-runner in the league and has a nice arm.

Jack Mitchell of the Camp gets the third-base post. Mitchell is fast and sure and a runner has to bear down to beat his throw across the diamond. He has had quite a bit of experience too. Ned. Tansley in view of Oliver Gould being the second-string pitcher, gets a starting place on the second team.

Harvey Gibney, who is a bit of a new-comer to hardball, is regarded as the best shortstop by virtue of more second team support. Jackie Vaughan of the Camp and Pee-wee Hilton both secured first team votes too. The selectors were a bit dubious about it all here but anyone of the trio would be acceptable. "Sam" has a bullet arm, the best in the league. His first team picker says of him, "He throws men out at first regularly that look like sure hits. He has been hitting well all season." In softball Gib was a mighty sweet fielder and fast on his feet and has apparently carried this over into hardball. Vaughan gets the second spot by virtue of his excellent play in the sandlot tournament. Hilton, a softball sensation in the field, is as good as ever at making miraculous stops but once again his hitting leaves a bit to be desired.

Herbie Cain, the league's leading hitter, gets the first outfield spot. Herb is batting over .500, can pole out a lousy smack when needed, is cool as a cucumber, experienced and blends in perfectly with his mates. He is the only one of the crowd who is a hold-over from the York-Simcoe league and in all-star rating of all time of the district holds an important post. "A mighty man is he."

Al. Wylnski of the Camp is the next choice and he runs Herb a close second in every department. The Soo boy is a regular greyhound in the field and a trenchant batter too. We nicknamed him "Moose" but he doesn't act like one. He has had enough games under his belt to know what it is all about.

"Chuck" Exelby of the Camp by a whisker wins the other spot from the veteran Pete Neufeldt. He has had senior baseball experience in Toronto and of course has the advantage of youth. He is versatile, as well as a pretty handy man to have around any place. Mickey "Sailor" Smith was a general favorite along with Neufeldt and has played every position except behind the plate this year. He and Exelby rivalled each other in this respect. Al. Preston of the Specialty, Babe Gunn, another of the Camp players, were also highly regarded. Gunn is a powerhouse better. Marchildon, a brother of Penetang Phil, Canada's gift to Connie Mack, didn't play all season but his record at Penetang was good and the class of the fielders can pretty well be considered when he makes only the second team.

Mickey Smith will get the utility role, in view of Exelby being on the first team in a starting spot. He is a fair pitcher and hitter and a sure catch at any position.

The first team is composed of: Charlie VanZant c. Lefty Newbold p. Bob Peters 1b, Earl Gould 2b, Jack Mitchell 3b, Harvey Gibney ss, Herb. Cain o. Al. Wylnski o. and "Chuck" Exelby o.

The second team has: Tarzan Pirle c. Oliver Gould p. Jack Gorrie 1b, Jack Wright 2b, Ned. Tansley 3b, Jack Vaughan ss, Pete Neufeldt o. Mickey Smith o. and Babe Marchildon o.

Honorable mention goes to Cliff Gunn, George Haskett, Pee-wee Hilton, Al. Preston, Bernie Gan-

ner. Too bad an all-star team couldn't have entered the sandlot tournament. The Camp, which is the best all-round collection, could have stood players like Herb. Cain and Earl and Oliver Gould especially. From the second team add as reserve strength those three, Mickey Smith and Jackie Vaughan, and you have a team capable of holding its own in senior baseball. Maybe the two all-star teams will clash in a charity affair before the season is out. A good idea for President George Byers and his executive would be to bring up say Morse A.C. or Arlingtonians from Toronto for a game with the first team selects. It would undoubtedly draw a good house and would be a nice reward for the players and a test of the league's strength.

We cannot offer too much praise to the officials of all the teams for the way they have carried on and kept alive one of the best of all games. There are good boys coming on who will perhaps be heard from one day. A fast hockey team is included in the list too. Herb Cain of Boston Bruins, Newbold of Niagara Falls, Bob Peters, Harvey Gibney and Mickey Smith of Sutton Green-shirts, Cliff Gunn, Marchildon and some of the others would form a pretty strong club.

Support from Andy Davis, and the Office Specialty, has been a nice thing to have and Newmarket is fortunate in that regard. Pantry park is a neat little park and of course there is the big diamond at the Camp. As a reward for its work all season we would let "Sarge" Morris of the Camp master-mind the boys in a clash against another outfit.

Thanks go to our selectors at Aurora and Newmarket. While we didn't hear from some of the boys, doubtless we will find replies when we come back from camp from some of the fellows who have been pretty busy but perhaps don't realize that in sports writing, or any newspaper work, just as in law, "time is of the essence." Without those who did help us this column would have been impossible and by more than words can say we appreciate that our modest efforts have found a place in the hearts and minds of many readers, the majority of whom are unknown to us. All-star-selecting always causes us a few pangs, as we have to pass up some of our warmest friends who just didn't make the grade. In softball, for instance, one selector was good enough to accord us a place. It may have been friendship or sentiment. We know the facts didn't warrant it. A fat, bald-headed, would-be ball player has no place among the stars. We never merited star rating at anything. As we write "30" to this column all we can say is, "Hope you like it," and good-luck to all in the play-offs.

#### RED CROSS GROUPS REPORT MORE WORK

The Newmarket Red Cross Society have acknowledged the fine work of the following groups: Mrs.

Nelson Scott's group: five dresses, size 42. This finishes this group's quota of 50 dresses. Miss Lillian Daniel's group: busy filling ditty bags and knitting. Mrs. James' group (Yonge St. sewing circle), two quilts. Presbyterian church ladies: Mrs. W. M. Cockburn's group: six boys' shirts (14 years old). Catholic Women's League: Mrs. Tunney's group: 52 baby blankets, 19 baby nighties, ten jackets, ten nightgowns (14 years old), two skirts, five pairs booties. The knitting committee shipped the June quota for army and navy in July: Navy quota: 15 zero caps, 15 pairs long sea boot stockings, five turtle-neck sweaters, ten pairs mitts, 25 pairs socks, five scarves. Army quota: ten scarves, ten zero caps, 100 pairs socks.

#### GEORGE FIXES THINGS

The newlyweds were on their honeymoon. They had the drawing room, and the groom gave the porter a dollar not to tell anybody on the train they were just married. When the happy couple went in for breakfast next morning, all the passengers snickered.

The groom called the porter and demanded: "Did you tell anybody on the train we were just married?" "No, sir," said the porter. "I told 'em all you all was just good friends."

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ville, 11 years old on Sunday,  
Aug. 2.  
Marilyn Barker, Newmarket,  
seven years old on Sunday, Aug.  
2.  
Murray Phillips, Newmarket,  
seven years old on Monday,  
Aug. 3.  
Charles Henry Southwood,  
Aurora, 13 years old on Tuesday,  
Aug. 4.  
Audrey E. Brown, Sutton  
West, 10 years old on Wednes-  
day, Aug. 5.  
Peter White, Newmarket, 14  
years old on Wednesday, Aug. 5.  
Russell Marles, Holt, 10 years  
old on Wednesday, Aug. 5.  
Lowell Pegg, Sharon, 10 years  
old on Wednesday, Aug. 5.  
Gordon Vaughan, Holland  
Landing, 14 years old on Friday,  
Aug. 7.  
Joan Robinson, Newmarket,  
seven years old on Friday, Aug.  
7.  
Elton Stickwood, Sharon, 13  
years old on Saturday, Aug. 8.  
Marian Wardell, Queensville,  
seven years old on Saturday,  
Aug. 8.  
Send in your name, age and  
birthday and become a member  
of The Era and Express Birthday  
club.

## KESWICK

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bond and  
a friend from Fort Erie spent  
the weekend and holiday at the  
Powers cottage, Keswick beach.  
Mr. Frank Perry, Miss Fer-  
guson and Mr. Johnston Perry of  
Toronto were guests at the Perry  
home here over the holiday  
weekend.  
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gilroy of  
Oakville visited Mrs. A. Gilroy's  
over the weekend.  
A visitor at Mr. and Mrs. J.  
Baines is Tommy Johnston of  
the Canadian navy, now  
stationed at Esquimalt, B.C., who  
is home on a short holiday.  
Mr. Andrew Edgar of Toronto  
spent a few days last week at  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davidson's.  
Mr. Clyde McGinnis and friend  
of Toronto were holiday guests  
of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pegg.  
Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Fockler  
and Miss Margaret Fockler of  
Maple are having a few holidays  
at their cottage on the lake  
shore.  
Mr. and Mrs. Isaac King of  
Bond Head were calling on  
friends in the village on Friday.  
A great many attended the  
Sunday evening "sing-songs" at  
Indianola Beach park.  
Mr. and Mrs. Graham and  
family of Toronto were weekend  
guests at Mr. and Mrs. Brassier's  
cottage at the lake.  
Mrs. Wesley Rye of Chicago  
and Mrs. Herring of Detroit  
were calling on friends in the  
village on Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Morton and  
Betty of Toronto are guests at  
Mr. Ernest Morton's.  
Traffic was heavy over the  
holiday and a great many holi-  
day guests were at boarding-  
houses and private cottages.  
Miss Margaret Peel of Toronto  
was at home for the weekend.  
Mr. Peter Walker and son,  
Omand, of Toronto were at home  
for the weekend holiday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Gibson and son  
of Milliken and Mr. and Mrs. H.  
Harper of Thornhill visited Mr.  
Jack Harper on Sunday.  
An evening congregation of  
50 people had the unusual ex-  
perience of hearing violin duets  
at Keswick United church last  
Sunday. Messrs. Eatock and  
Slater, campers at Pine Beach,  
played "In the Garden" and  
"The Old Rugged Cross" and also  
joined with the organ for the  
accompaniment of the hymns.  
Both violinists are members of  
the Hamilton symphony or-  
chestra, teachers of violin, and  
church musicians in Hamilton.  
The minister, Rev. Gordon Lapp,  
preached on "Jesus, the Author  
of our Faith."  
At the morning service, Miss  
Evelyn King was heard to  
splendid advantage in "Come  
unto me, all ye that labor and  
are heavy laden," the soprano  
solo from Handel's "The

FARM  
FORUM

By MAE HARMAN

"Farm women are becoming  
noted as good nutritionists as  
well as good cooks," declared  
Ethel Chapman, farm writer and  
cooking expert, speaking on  
"Nutrition and food conserva-  
tion" in a recent Farm Forum  
broadcast.

She went on to say that farm  
people have found it a poor  
economy to take the best food to  
market while the family does  
without. "Farmers practise  
nutrition on their livestock, why  
not on their families?" she asked.

There are undernourished  
people in Canada. I suppose  
there always have been. From  
the farmer's viewpoint, the more  
surpluses of food we have, the  
more people we have who cannot  
afford to buy food. Nor is the  
amount of food the important  
question. Today we are becom-  
ing more and more concerned  
about what is in our food; what  
vitamins and minerals it con-  
tains. Much stress is being  
placed on the use of milk pro-  
ducts, cereals, citrus fruits and  
green and dried vegetables.

Equally as important as the food  
content is the method of cooking.  
For example, all forms of cook-  
ing are destructive to vitamin C.  
Now that rich pastries, des-  
serts and pickles are pretty well  
prohibited by the sugar ration-  
ing, we will have to learn to eat  
more of the things which are  
good for us. Meal planning is  
pretty simple at this time of the  
year if you have a good victory  
garden. It is important, too, to  
store up as much as possible of  
the surplus fruits and vegetables  
to add interest and variety to  
winter meals. Of course, you  
won't allow anything in your  
garden to waste if your neighbor  
can use it. Ten to one, he will  
repay you with some product of  
his orchard.

There are so many improved  
methods for preserving food. A  
jar of canned raspberries is so  
much nearer to the fresh product  
than is a jar of seedy stewed  
berries. A comparatively new  
idea for this section of the  
country is the storing of meats,  
fruits and vegetables in re-  
frigeration lockers. The home-  
drying method is also being  
revived. Bulletins on such sub-  
jects as "Canning Fruits and  
Vegetables," "Jams for War-  
time" and "Home Drying of  
Fruits and Vegetables" may be  
had free by writing to the de-  
partment of agriculture, Ottawa.

Most everyone is willing to  
give credit to farm people in  
their earnest effort to maintain  
and even increase production.  
Much credit is due also to other  
folk who in various ways have  
endeavored to help the farmer  
overcome his difficulties. The  
fact remains, however, that the  
farmer is being asked to do a  
tremendous job for very small  
returns. The extent of his ef-  
fort is pretty well determined by  
the size of his income. Fairer  
returns would be his to com-  
pete in the labor market and to  
purchase and operate more  
efficient equipment.

"Food will win the war and  
write the peace," says Claude  
Wickard, secretary of agriculture  
for the United States. We need  
food for our fighting forces and  
for our splendid allies and we  
shall need it to feed the starving  
millions of Europe and Asia. We  
need food for our munition  
workers and all others who toil  
long and hard, and children need  
food to build sturdy bodies. It  
shall be a crime, of which all of  
us will be guilty, if the next  
generation is found suffering  
from malnutrition.

## Willow Beach

Gnr. Norval Powell was on  
leave over the weekend.

Mrs. Bert Crittenden and  
daughter were visiting Mr. and  
Mrs. H. Crittenden for a few  
days.

Mrs. Wm. Davies entertained  
at afternoon tea, on Wednesday,  
in aid of the Willow Beach Boys'  
Comfort club.

A box was packed and sent to  
Bombardier Donald Powell, who  
is stationed at Labrador, last  
week.

Messiah."

Next Sunday evening's service  
will be in the open air at Indian-  
ola Beach park at eight o'clock.  
Fifteen minutes before the ser-  
vice Ross Sheppard will lead  
hymn singing. Special music  
will be provided by campers.  
The service will be in the charge  
of the minister, Rev. Gordon  
Lapp.

Cpl. W. K. Morton, son of Mr.  
and Mrs. Ernest Morton, Kes-  
wick, has returned to Dafoe,  
Sask., after spending his fur-  
lough at home.

McTavish had taken up riding,  
and he was going into it with  
all the thoroughness of his race.  
He had completed his outfit ex-  
cept for one thing, and this he set out  
to purchase. He strode into the  
harness store with the self-as-  
surance of a veteran and asked  
for one spur.  
"One spur!" exclaimed the  
clerk. "But we never sell a  
single spur. They come in pairs,  
and if you want them for horse-  
back riding you will have to  
have two."

"Coom, lad, I dinna need but  
one, spur. If I can get the right  
side of the horse a-goin', the left  
side weel come right along."

## ANSNORVELD

MARK 25TH WEDDING  
WITH SON OVERSEAS

Miss H. Elgersma of Hamilton  
was visiting at the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. S. Winter.

Pte. Prins of the Netherlands  
army, stationed at Stratford, was  
visiting here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Vandyk and  
family spent the weekend with  
Mr. and Mrs. W. Vandyk of  
Fisherville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Rupke and  
Jackie of Hamilton were visiting  
Mr. and Mrs. P. Verhaak. Mrs.  
Rupke will be staying on for a  
few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Prins cele-  
brated their 25th wedding  
anniversary with their im-  
mediate family present, on Sunday.  
Their only son is with the armed  
forces in England.

Mrs. Vandyk of Chatham and  
Miss M. Vandyk of London spent  
a few days with Mr. and Mrs. A.  
Vandyk.

Miss E. Havinga of New York  
city visited her sister, Mrs. T.  
Miedema, for a couple of days.

Pte. Rudy Easterhouse, who  
has been with the armed forces,  
has returned home after being  
discharged from military service.

## VIVIAN

Vivian, July 29.—Another  
severe electrical storm passed  
over this community on Monday  
afternoon. During the storm  
Steven Tucker's house was  
struck by a bolt of lightning but  
no serious damage was done.  
Mrs. Tucker suffered from shock.

Many grain fields were flat-  
tened with the heavy rain.  
Harvest is in full swing now  
and some farmers are digging  
potatoes.

Mr. Deans of Toronto had  
charge of the Sunday evening  
service in the absence of the  
pastor. He brought a splendid  
message on "Noah."

Miss Nora Gray of Toronto, is  
spending a couple of weeks with  
her sister, Mrs. W. Hood.

Miss Margaret Peterson has  
returned home after spending a  
week with her aunt at Port  
Colborne.

Miss Helen Cutler and a couple  
of girl friends are spending a  
week at the home of Mr. and  
Mrs. P. Cutler.

Mr. Wilfred Cutler and Miss  
Bernice Cutler of Toronto were  
home over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell  
and Miss Gertrude Mitchell had  
tea with Mr. and Mrs. Geo.  
Mitchell, Yonge St., on Tuesday  
evening of last week.

The Young People had an in-  
teresting meeting on Wednesday  
evening. Floyd Grose presided  
and offered the opening prayer.  
The topic, on "prayer," was  
taken by John Mitchell. The  
scripture lesson was read by Mr.  
Ken. Smith of Toronto.

A lovely solo was sung by Mrs.  
Smith entitled "He sought me,  
He found me." Irene Boden also  
sang a solo and Mildred Clarke  
conducted a sword drill.

The meeting was closed with  
prayer by Frank Allen.  
Miss Nora Gray and Master  
Freddie Gray of Toronto are  
holidaying at the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. W. Hood.

The Vivian "Willing Workers"  
had a picnic down by McCorn-  
nick's "creek" on Thursday  
afternoon.

Miss Helen Cutler and a couple  
of friends have been holidaying  
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P.  
Cutler.

Miss Florence Boden was home  
for the weekend.  
Bram Reed had charge of the  
prayer meeting and Sunday ser-  
vice in the absence of the pastor,  
who is having a few weeks  
holidays in the Muskoka district.

Mr. Reed brought a fine  
message on "The enemy of God"  
on Sunday evening.

Several responded to the in-  
vitation given at the close of  
the service.

A solo was sung by Irene  
Boden.

A number of the young people  
attended the "open air" meeting  
in Zephyr on Saturday night.  
The meeting this week is to be  
held in Aurora.

Miss Nora Gray, Toronto, Mr.  
and Mrs. Geo. Mitchell, Yonge  
St., were Sunday visitors at  
the home of Mr. and Mrs. John  
Mitchell.

## Virginia

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Bradley of  
Toronto spent Sunday with Mr.  
and Mrs. Norman Rae.

Rev. and Mrs. N. S. Anderson,  
Ruth and Donald, of Stoney  
Creek, called on friends in this  
district last week.

Mrs. E. Spence of Hartley is  
spending several days with her  
son-in-law and daughter, Mr.  
and Mrs. A. Hadden.

Mr. Fred Filcock of Toronto is  
spending two weeks holidays at  
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley  
Lyons.

A large number of friends and  
neighbors gathered at the home  
of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Arnold  
last Saturday to pay honor to  
their son, Ted, who is training  
at Niagara. The community  
presented him with a lovely  
wrist watch.

Mrs. S. Hewson, Bobbie and  
Margaret Rose, of Hamilton,  
called on Mrs. Hewson's aunt,  
Mrs. W. Rae, last Monday.

Rodg. Hiscott of the R.C.A.F.,  
Belleville, is spending a few days  
leave with friends in Sutton and  
in this community.

MAPLE HILL  
THRESHING IS NOW  
ON FARM PROGRAM

A goodly number journeyed to  
Jackson's Point last week for  
the Sunday-school picnic.

Everyone had a good time.  
Wheat harvest and threshing  
are in full swing now. The  
farmers are hoping for fine  
weather.

For the next few Sundays  
the pulpit at the Baptist church  
will be occupied by supply  
preachers from Forward Baptist  
church in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knights and  
family and Mr. and Mrs. W. Mc-  
Gill and family visited relatives  
at Alliston last Friday.

## Ravenshoe

Rev. Gordon Lapp gave an in-  
spiring message, his subject  
being "Wells of Water," at the  
United church last Sunday  
morning. There was a good at-  
tendance but the number was  
down with the service at 9.45.

Mr. Albert Laws was home for  
the weekend.  
There was fine weather for  
the long weekend.

The ladies' supper was a  
splendid success. A good crowd  
enjoyed a good supper.

A missionary meeting followed  
the supper.  
Mrs. Bernard Davidson gave  
a fine paper on missions.

Rev. C. E. Fockler attended  
the Ravenshoe church supper.

Will Gather A.R.P. Door  
To Door Information

(By Rudy Renzius, press sec-  
retary, Newmarket Civilian Defence  
Committee)

The Newmarket civilian de-  
fence committee held a regular  
meeting last Tuesday at the  
Bugle Band hall. The meeting  
was well attended, many new  
members being sworn in.

This is not a war of conquest  
as far as we are concerned. We  
are fighting to protect our own  
houses, and our local C.D.C. is  
as fine a group of citizens as can  
be found anywhere. All three  
wards and the north-end have  
been fully organized under four  
wardens, Messrs. Edwards, Kidd,  
VanderVoort and Martin and  
every block has at least one  
post man.

Shortly the post man in your  
block will come around to your  
house to gather information re-  
ladders, garden or other hose,  
fire extinguishers, pails of sand  
and other firefighting equip-  
ment. He also wants to know  
the names and ages of persons  
living in the house and is par-  
ticularly interested in knowing  
who has nursing or St. John's  
ambulance experience.

The medical end of the C.D.C.  
is being organized under Dr.  
Dales and above information is  
very helpful. Be sure to give  
your post man all the co-opera-  
tion possible.

Three sand-boxes are being  
placed, one in each ward,  
shortly, and will be kept filled  
with sand so that citizens can  
obtain one or two buckets of  
sand free for fire protection. An  
A.R.P. signal system is being  
worked out, different from our  
fire whistle, to be used to call  
wardens and post men in case of  
emergency. More about this  
when fully decided upon.

Our auxiliary policemen are in  
full training under Chief James  
Sloss.

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"LOOK WHOSE LAUGHING"  
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Bergen - Charlie McCarthy  
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MANHATTAN"

John Falkenberg - Joan Davis  
Joan Woodbury

MON. - TUES. - WED.  
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## MOUNT ALBERT GAS, TIRE SHORTAGE, HOLD PICNIC IN PARK

The United church will have as guest speaker on Sunday Mr. Benny Wilson, evangelist at Parliament St. mission in Toronto, who will bring along his son as soloist. Everyone is invited to the church service at 11 o'clock and church school at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. D. B. Pegg spent the holiday with relatives at Rodney. Miss Velma Ansley and Mrs. Palmatier were weekend visitors at Mrs. Jno. Cain's.

Mrs. Jarvis visited Mrs. Roy Carr over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Buckles and Mrs. Ferguson of Whitevale were visitors at the home of Mr.

and Mrs. J. Thompson on Sunday.

The United church Sunday-school held their picnic in the park on Monday afternoon. Owing to the shortage of gas and tires they could not go to Lake Simcoe as they have in former years. The afternoon and evening were spent playing games and ball and running races.

Among the holiday visitors in town were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Leach and family of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. N. Wilson, Toronto, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Wilson.

Miss J. Johnson has returned home to Caledon East after spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. Couper.

Geo. Stokes, who is with the R.C.A.F. at Weybourne, Sask., is home on furlough.

Capt. W. L. Carruthers, M.O.,

returned to camp at Brampton after spending his furlough at his home in town.

The Women's Institute will hold their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. B. Sinclair on Thursday, Aug. 13, with Mrs. A. Hopkins and Mrs. W. McFarland as hostesses. It will be grandmothers' meeting. Roll-call will be answered by a happy incident in the life of your grandmother. There will be music, a spelling bee and the scanning of the past by a grandmother. There will be a social half-hour. Each member is asked to bring a friend.

Mrs. H. Brown has received a letter from her son, Leon, who is in Great Britain, saying he had received a box sent by the continuation school pupils and was grateful for it. His mother did not know the box had been sent and was grateful to the school.

Miss Verna Hayes of Toronto spent the weekend with her aunt, Miss E. Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken. Jarvis and family of Lansing were in town over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stokes and Jane have returned to Toronto after spending their holidays at their parents' homes here and in Franklin.

Rev. and Mrs. W. Burgess left this week to spend their holidays at their cottage at Bruce beach.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Watts and daughter were in town on Sunday with Mrs. Watts' sisters, the Misses Brooks.

## POLICE COURT ACQUITS CITY MAN ON DRINK-DRIVE CHARGE

As a result of investigation by Newmarket police into a series of break-ins and petty thieving in Newmarket, another teen-aged Newmarket youth faced a charge of theft in police court in Newmarket on Tuesday.

The youth admitted being one of five youths who in June of this year were involved in the theft of five gallons of gasoline from a truck owned by John E. Murphy, north Main St., Newmarket. The other four youths who pleaded guilty in police court last week were given suspended sentence and placed on probation for six months. A condition of the sentence was that they must break up their "gang" and get steady employment.

"As a result of information received I questioned the accused and he admitted that he went to the garage and acted as look-out man while another siphoned the gasoline," testified Chief Constable James Sloss. The officer informed his worship that the youth had no previous record.

"You pleaded guilty to participating in the theft of gasoline, which is a serious offence just now on account of the difficulty of purchasing," Magistrate W. N. Robinson told the youth. "I am going to give you suspended sentence and place you on probation for six months. You must report to Chief Sloss once a month and inform him as to your whereabouts and what you are doing."

His worship further informed the youth, who is engaged in war work, that he must continue to work. He must also pay the cost of finding two Toronto men guilty of illegal possession, Magistrate Robinson fined each \$10 and costs or ten days in jail. They are Dmytro Peskum and Jan Skaklosa.

According to Constable George Dewsbury of Whitechurch township, while walking in the park at Wilcox lake in company with Constable Aubrey Fleury at about 4:15 p.m. on July 26, he came across the defendants with a party. Constable Dewsbury stated that he saw each man drinking a bottle of beer.

When called into the witness-box to give his evidence, Constable Aubrey Fleury told his worship that Mr. Skaklosa admitted that he owned the beer.

His worship also found Frank Smith, Simcoe St., Newmarket, guilty of illegal possession of liquor and fined him \$10 and costs.

In his testimony, Constable George Foster of Georgina township told his worship that on July 17 at about 11:05 p.m., while on duty, he saw the defendant walk through Mossington park to his car, where he took out a bottle of wine and put it under his coat. He then met two soldiers, one of whom opened the bottle.

"I was sitting in the car when I saw the accused go up to his car," testified County Constable William Hill. "I could see something under his coat. He went over to the soldiers."

The witness went on to say that one of the soldiers opened the bottle.

In his defence Mr. Smith denied that he had a bottle under his coat and stated that he had gone over to the car to get his coat. He said that the wine was produced by one of the soldiers, who asked him if he would like a drink.

As a result of an accident on the road leading to Musselman's Lake on June 14, Mike Keronda, Toronto, found himself facing a charge of careless driving in police court on Tuesday. The defendant pleaded not guilty to the charge but his worship judged otherwise and fined him \$10 and costs.

Constable Robert Windsor of Whitechurch township testified that on June 14, at about 2 a.m., while on his way home from the lake, he noticed a car by the side of the road. Marks on the road showed that it had been driven off the road for a distance of 135 feet before striking a tree.

In his defence Mr. Keronda told his worship that he was coming around a curve when his car started to sway and he was unable to keep it on the road. He said that he did not know what happened.

"I think that you were going too fast around the curve," commented his worship. "You did not have your car under control at all."

After reserving judgment for

## "REMEMBER THE DAY" IS COMING



Coming to the Strand theatre next Wednesday and Thursday is "Remember the Day," with John Payne and Claudette Colbert in the starring roles. Pictured above is a scene from the play.

## HOLSTEIN HELPS RAISE MONEY FOR CHILDREN

All roads will lead to Richmond Hill next Wednesday, Aug. 12, for the annual Lions' club street dance and carnival.

An honored guest at the big event will be "Daisy," the patriotic Holstein, who will be given away that night. "Daisy" is a four-year-old Holstein with a three-week-old calf at her side.

She will be at the dance in person and will be doing her best to help the Lions' British Child War Victims fund.

In addition to Daisy there will be other prizes as well as a fine program, with dance music by the ever popular Russ Creighton and his variety band. There will be a midway full of fun and attractions. It's going to be a bright gay carnival.

## ERA AND EXPRESS IS OPEN

The Era and Express office is open daily from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. except on Saturday, when it is open from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. and from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Two weeks, Magistrate Robinson dismissed a charge of driving while intoxicated against Percy Douglas Orr, Toronto. His worship found the defendant guilty on a charge of dangerous driving on Yonge St. on June 23, when his car was in collision with a telephone pole at Bradford, causing damage of \$28 to the pole, and later in collision with a car driven by P. Hyde of Oak Ridge, at Bond Lake, and fined him \$50 and costs or 30 days. Damages to the Hyde car amounted to \$35, which were previously paid by the defendant. Damages to Mr. Orr's car amounted to between \$50 and \$75.

In dismissing the charge of driving while intoxicated, his worship stated that he was taking into consideration the evidence of Dr. L. W. Dales, Newmarket, who testified that Mr. Orr was a sick man and that even a half glass of beer would make him act as he did.

"I have considerable doubt that the accused had too much to drink," stated his worship. "He had very little sleep and was under considerable strain."

After hearing further evidence into a charge of driving without his 1942 operator's license, his worship fined Mr. Orr \$10 and costs.

Costs on both convictions amounted to \$30.

"I am going to suspend your license for six months and recommend to the department that you should not be given a license until you have had a medical examination," his worship told Mr. Orr.

A charge of careless driving against Mr. Orr was withdrawn. Twenty-five dollars and costs was the fine imposed on Charles Hanlon, Toronto, who was found guilty of careless driving on Yonge St. on July 1.

Provincial Constable Alex. Ferguson told his worship that the defendant's car was one of two racing each other along the highway in heavy traffic. The officer stated that the defendant was driving at 50 miles an hour with his lights turned down.

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## POTTAGEVILLE Sunday-school Picnic Is Held Close To Home

The United church held their Sunday-school picnic in Mrs. John Cutting's park.

A huge crowd attended and ideal weather prevailed. The afternoon was spent in races and sports for the younger folk.

A good supper was provided by the ladies. Community singing started the musical part of the evening, with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stone and sons, George and Jack, entertaining with their accordions. Mr. Stone at the bass fiddle and Mrs. Stone at the organ.

"Scottie" Magee and Joe Stevenson of Aurora rendered a duet. Mr. Magee also gave some of his famous Scotch songs.

Prof. Burt-Gerrans rendered several songs, with Mrs. Burt-Gerrans at the organ.

Mr. Harold Stone became a magician, mystifying the crowd with his tricks. The children sang well.

Mr. Ambrose Archibald gave an address. The national anthem brought the evening to a close.

Mrs. John Houghton and children spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. George West recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Magee and daughter of Aurora visited Mrs. Oliver Paton over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt-Gerrans and family and Miss Lois Routhery of Toronto spent the weekend at their summer cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. George West of Toronto spent the weekend with their son.

Miss Reta Houghton and Mrs. Houghton and daughter spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Houghton.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan of Toronto visited Mrs. Burdick and Mrs. Roy Hamilton over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Walton and daughter, Edith, of Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. Walton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Williams.

Mrs. Alfred Hamilton of Kettleby spent the weekend with Mrs. Cutting.

Miss Hilliard and her sister of Toronto spent the weekend at their summer cottage.

Pte. Roy Emmerson of Toronto is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmerson.

Mrs. Fizzell of Woodbridge spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Jarvis, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Paton and Mr. Everett Paton of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Elias Paton.

Mrs. Coutts and family of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Houghton.

Mr. John Houghton, Misses Elsie and Alice Houghton of Cookstown spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Goldthorpe.

Miss Hattie Cutting of Toronto spent the weekend and holiday with her mother, Mrs. John Cutting.

Mrs. Hampson and family of Toronto are spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Archibald.

Mrs. Macolony of Toronto spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Auld and family and Mr. and Mrs. Holborn and family spent the weekend at their summer cottage.

Miss Doreen Funnell spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Funnell.

Mrs. Pettit and family of Kirkland Lake are visiting Mrs. Pettit's sister, Mrs. Stanley Proctor.

Miss Jessie Weedon is spending her holidays with friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Paton of Aurora spent the holiday with Mr. Paton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Paton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilder and daughter spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rose.

Pte. Jns. Wares of Camp Borden and Mrs. Wares called to see Mr. Robert Rose on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Burgen of Toronto called on Mrs. Thos. Williams Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Emmerson and son, Pte. Roy Emmerson, spent the weekend and holiday with Mr. Emmerson's brother at Halliburton.

## HOLLAND LANDING

Miss Jean McCaskey of Toronto spent the holiday with her sister, Mrs. C. Forsythe.

## QUEENSVILLE RED CROSS NETS \$47, PROCEEDS FROM TEA

Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Shannon left on Thursday for a camping trip and they will be away for four Sundays. During their absence the pulpit will be supplied on Aug. 9 by Pte. Harold Cornish of the Newmarket military camp, Aug. 16, by the Young People's Union of the church, and on Aug. 23 and Aug. 30 by Charles Milsted of Queensville.

At a recent afternoon and evening tea held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weddell on behalf of the Queensville Red Cross society, the sum of \$47.27 was realized and handed over to the secretary of the society, Mrs. Aylward. The members appreciated the help of all who assisted in making the occasion such a success.

The community prayer meeting for the Queensville district which is held every Monday night at the various homes, has donated from its funds the sum of \$5.80 for the Queensville Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Watts of Toronto spent the weekend with Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Shannon.

Mr. Dan Shannon and Mr. Jack Watts have returned home after spending their holidays in Muskoka.

Miss Lizzie Turner, a former resident of Queensville, is spending some time at the home of Mrs. W. Henry.

## Zephyr

Mr. and Mrs. P. Hill and daughter, Olive, of Toronto, spent Saturday with Mrs. E. Profit.

Jean and Keith Profit visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bibby, 6th con., recently.

Mrs. Flumerfelt of Sandford spent a few days with her granddaughter, Mrs. L. Profit, recently.

Miss Daisy Graham spent a week with friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon MacKay and family of Hespeler spent a few days with Mr. MacKay's sister, Mrs. W. J. Rynard.

Miss Irma Cain has secured a position as stenographer in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Curl and Rita of Oshawa spent the weekend with relatives in Zephyr.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dunn, Patsy and Jimmy of Newmarket spent a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. Lunney and Mr. and Mrs. C. Pickering recently.

Mrs. Sidney Bradley and daughter have been spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. Bradley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Cronberry.

Stewart Graham is spending a few days holidays in Toronto.

Miss Mildred Lunney of Toronto, who has been home for her holidays, returned to Toronto Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wasson of Peterboro spent the weekend with Mrs. Wasson's sister, Mrs. I. B. Law.

Mrs. Rose Wideman of Collingwood spent a few days with relatives.

Mr. R. W. Pickering is still confined to his bed.

Miss Catharine Allan and her friend, Miss Phyllis Scarborough, of Toronto, are spending their holidays with Miss Allan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Allan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allan and George Milstead of Toronto were at Mrs. Milstead's for the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Pickering and little daughter, June, returned to their home in Toronto after spending two weeks holidays at the home of Mrs. Chesley Pickering.

Miss Irene Kester of Whitby is spending her holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rynard spent a couple of days in Toronto this week with their daughter and family.

## Scott Grants \$75 To Township Fair, Zephyr

Scott township council met at the township hall on Saturday afternoon. All members were present.

Communications were read from Fort Lapp, school attendance report for June, from County Clerk Ruddy, advising of the admission of a patient to Toronto General hospital, from N. Murray, report of dog taxes collected, from Toronto Insurance brokers, with notice of repudiation of a claim for damages on the roadway, from department of municipal affairs, form suggested in connection with making assessments.

The council passed a grant of \$75 toward Scott fair at Zephyr. Rates for taxes for 1942, as far as requisitions have been completed from school sections, are as follows: county rate \$1.31 per \$100; township school grants, \$22; general purposes, 20c; S. S. 40c; S. S. 8, 37c; S. S. 9, 40c; S. S. 10, 80c.

Accounts passed included: labor, \$378.23; N. Thompson, tractor, \$231.03; Ivan Law, \$174.20, tractor; Allan Crane, \$55.00, truck; Carman Rolling, \$14.40, truck; Arthur Smith, \$57.40, truck; Harold Morrison, \$56.40, truck; Wm. Harvey, \$16, sawing and timber;

Ben Armstrong, \$22.92, 191 yds. gravel; W. Pickering, \$23.46, supplies; Thos. Harrison, \$73.80, 615 yds. gravel; Mrs. Bartlett,

## Life Sales Are Best Ever, Company Reports

Figures released by the sales department of North American

Life Assurance Co. indicate a 31 percent gain in new insurance sales for the first half of 1942. Sales for the past month were over \$4,000,000, representing the best total for June in the company's history.

Reflecting the improved economic circumstances of the people, there is reported a continued improvement in conservation of the company's business, the number of lapses being at a low level. The insurance in force with the company has increased since Dec. 31 by approximately \$9,000,000, the total now standing at \$270,000,000. This gain in insurance is almost double the amount for the same period of 1941.

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"Daisy" is a high class 4-year-old Patriotic Holstein Cow with three-week-old calf by side, one of the lucky draw prizes. Other prizes include a \$25 order on any store, \$40 in War Savings Certificates, and a "Beauty Doll" all dolled up in crisp one dollar bills.

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Blackweed	Wild Lettuce	Tumbling Weed
Canada Thistle	Docks	Common Milkweed
Wild Carrot	Wild Mustard	Common Burdock
Doyle	Stinkweed	Pepper Grass
Chickory	White Cockle	Common Ragweed
Ox-Eye Daisy	Polygon Ivy	Russian Thistle
Blue Weed	Spurge	Cinquefoil

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Every occupant of land, or if the land is unoccupied, the owner shall destroy all weeds designated noxious by the regulations as often in every year as is sufficient to prevent the ripening of their seeds.

CLAUSE 23:  
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